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Margaret, Dorothy Wilding, has just been released for publication. Princess Margaret is to accompany Their Ma-Jestles the King and Queen on their tour of New Zealand and Australia.

Exchange Order And Japan

London, Mar. 10 every nerve" to solve the admittedly "unsatisfactory" dollar sit-

untion in Hong Keng. excellent one, Mr. Hall said, and lers were present and that in the rangements with General Doug- his comments were not for pub-Ins MacArthur to cover British Heation, the reporters did not exports to Japan,-Associated contravene the codes and ethics.

Press.

EVIDENCE HONG KONG TABLED

"Altered Circumstances" Made Cruiser Escort Necessary

British Request For Troops Could Not Refused

No. 33918.

Ottawa, Mar. 11. Prime Minister Mackenzie King was intormed three days before the sailing of the Canadian expedition to Hong Kong in October, 1941, that the British Government requested special escort protection for the Canadian loaded troopship "Awatea" in Far Eastern waters because of "altered circumstances" in relations with the Japanese, it was revealed today.

long-secret evidence taken before the Sir Lyman Duff 1942 Royal Commission, which investigated the training, equipping and dispatch of the Hong Kong Expeditionary Force, was tabled in the House of Commons by Defence Minister R. Booke-Claxton.

BRADMAN COMPLAINT REJECTED

-A special investigating committee of the South Australian Journalists Association today rejected a complaint by Bradman that he had misreported after speaking at a luncheon here in January and that in any case his talk was not for publication,

The committee declared that Secretary to the Treasury, to- the report was fair and accurate stances" in the Pacific an addinight defended Britam's new | and expressed disappointment exchange order affecting Japan. | that the Australian cricket cap-He told the House of Commons tain had failed to give, particuthe Government-would-"strain-lars to justify his claim that he was misreported,

The committee also declared The new order for Japan is an I that Bradman know that reportis worked out on a basis of ar-labsence of any intenation that

before the troopship sailed.

The paraphrased copy of the United Kingdom's - cable to Canada on September 19 said: "In the event of war in the Far East the accepted policy has been that Hong Kong should be considered as an outpost and held as long as possible...

"It would reassure Chiang Kai-shek as to the genuiness our intention to hold the Colony and, in addition, would have a very great moral effect

viding for this purpose one or

The then Commander-in-Chief of the Canadian Army overseas, Gen. A.G.V. McNaughton, testified that the United Kingdom's request was worded such that it "could not be refused. -United Press.

The Chinese Foreign Office prosecution alleged that the be successful, were unnecessary has countered an Outer Monliver of one of these men was and were performed for the frontier violations with a sharp then 'cooked and served at dual purpose of obtaining re-demand for compensation' for an officers' club banquet. .. venge against the prisoners the deaths of all Chinese na- asking for details but the protest of February 24 "points box. cases experiments were per leged to have been invaded are notified Scotland Yard and a was there word of the Nationalformed to determine whether Sinking (Chinese) Province." for Mr. Churchill. He even-Reuter-AAP. Rese Three

Like previous diplomatic comLike previous diplomatic comtually was found in the
nunications between China and
Palladium Theatre watching the
The prosecution added that its former border province the

The prosecution added that

Mystery

Shelling · London, Mar. 11. Three fishermen off Felixstowe reported to the Admiralty today that they were shelled yesterday by a warship, apparently a destroyer, with shells dropping only 30 feet from one boat. The Admiralty said no British warships are in the vicinity and there are no reports of any foreign. ships. It is investigating the matter.-United Press.

Churchill

Murdered"

London, Mar. 11.

Scotland Yard dis-

closes that an anonymous

telephone caller warned

wartime leader Winston

Churchill "will be mur-

dered at midday" today.

been taken but declined to

give details. He indicated that

the police believed the tipster

received at about 8 o'clock last

night by the police

speak to "some

day tomorrow."

London. The speaker asked

When an officer came to the

The Yard spokesman

"adequate precautions"

was a "crank."

authority."

TROOPS ON

A sensational report that more than 100 ex-Japanese soldiers, equipamong the bandit gangs of the Kwangtung-Kowloon border was carried To Ban yesterday by the Kung edition of Sir Robert Ho Tung's daily, Kung Sheung Yat Po.

The report, credited to a staff reporter of the newspaper who recently returned from making a survey of conditions along the frontler, sald that farmers and travelling traders made the disclosure in the course of inter-

They said that the Japanese were frequently encountered nlong the highway leading from the border town of Shumchun easiwards to Walchow city. From travellers and buses they made a compulsory collection of "tax", The report added that the Japanese were former servicemen who deserted the Japanese Army when Japan surrendered to the Allies in 1945.

Shanghai, Mar. 11.

At Star Ferry?

be submitted to the Government shortly.

Sheung Wan Po, evening Communists:

Canberra, Mar. 11. der of the Liberal opposition in the Australian Parliament, today announced that his party was advocating a complete ban on the Communist Party and its associates "in view of the gravity of the international situation and the vital importance of Australian production and transport."

His statement was welcomed by Mr. Arthur W. Fadden, leader of the opposition Country Party, who said that it put the two parties on common ground. -Reuter.

JAPANESE Overhead Car Park

A scheme for the construction of a large overhead car-park, capable of handling more than 200 vehicles, in the vicinity of the Star Ferry, is to

MALE

Mr. Gorden Mensies, lea-

ATTACK ON PAOTING BBC On The

Air Later London, Mar. 11: The decision announced by the Postmatter General that broadcasting up to midnight by the British Broadcasting. Corporation will be re-introduced on April 11, affects only light

and third programmes. They get back one hour from them in February last year, when the fuel shortage necessitated

London, Mar. 10. Brazilian diplomata . abroad seris an article in the current issue of the Soviet. "Literary

As a result of the present icy do not lag behind the and freight services between are turning the country into a had Chengchow and Loyang are now colony of the United States."

The article speaks "scandals. and revelries" connection with the names of

the usages and morals of the other, clear. As a result, the Attempts at first aid and Isolated Government defend- Brazil's upper class, reflecting manhole in which the elder artificial respiration, sided by ers are said to have been drop- as in mirror the depth of the coolie was working was flooded an oxygen container, failed to ping supplies from the air yes- moral downfall of capitalist so with gas fumes. torday. No news was available ciety with its pseudo-culture Receiving no answer to his here today of the progress of and pseudo-civilisation."-Asso- signals, the younger coolie

Canton Mar. 11 Lecal Government & authorities scious. plan to spend over CN\$150,000,-

The "China Mail" understands that the project has already been discussed by the Committee in the Kowloon Residents, Associa-tion, and investigated by two consulting engineers who are members of that Committee, and approved as feasible,

Sponsors of the scheme ar prepared to finance it entirely, provided they obtain the Government's approval of a nominal charge to owner-drivers for making use of the park. In brief, the proposal is to

erect a large platform over the approaches to the Star Ferry. with a ramp for entry running up from Salisbury Road on the one side and another ramp descending on the opposite side of he square.

Taxis

Taxis would continue to occupy. roughly, their existing ranks, but would be entirely under

yesterday how the scheme would conflict with the decision to introduce doubledecker buses into Kewloon, in the early autumn, one of the sponsors of the project said that ample clearance would be provided Moreover, the plan could be readily adopted to harmonise with the new lay-out for the Star Ferry terminus details of which are still under discussion.

Sassoon's Hqs. Now At Kobe

Sir Victor Sassoon has moved han duledly established his headquarters in the contro of the port city of Kobe, Central News learned from reliable sources today.

By a series of multi-multion yen real estate deals last year. Bir Victor's agents in Japan have- acquired more than a valuable business proconcentrated around Kobe's main railway station, Sannomiya. Conservative Japunese estimates of Sassoon's known holdings in the Kobe area alone give the current value at well over 100 million

Most of the newly acquired properties are in the area which was nearly flattened by a series of American B-29 raids during the last few months of the war. This group of real estate holdings will probably be the site of the future Sassoon Headquarters in Japan.—Central News.

Goebbels Speaks

nounced "China Mail" acquired exclusive publication. rights for Hong Kong of

CHURCHILL'S "MEMOIRS"

To-day, we have to record another important journalistic "scoop," the exclusive rights in

GOEBBEL'S WAR DIARY

This noteworthy and historical document will be published shortly in the form of a series of daily articles in the "China Mail," preceding the Churchill "Memoirs," which are to be released for simultaneous publication throughout the world next month.

Dr. / GOEBBELS' WAR DIARY will give a wartime picture of Britain; the United States, and such outstanding figures as Mr. Churchill and the late President Roosevell through German eyes, a valuable documentary for students of the history of World War II.

geniuses of the Nazi regime, Goebbels was also possessor of its sharpest brain, and the importance of his commentary the development of events needs no emphasis.

Watch for further anпоинсетения

Coolie P.W.D.

Yesterday was an unlucky day for two P.W.D. sewer coolies. Two hours after starting work, one was dead and the other lying in a serious condition in the Queen Mary Llosnital.

man's side forced the passage, body covered with foul-smelling left behind to fight a delaying That is a graphic picture of leading from one manhole to sewage was brought up.

I climbed out of the manhole and went over to the other to inleague unconscious .in 4 the sewage. As he descended assist he was also overcome by the fumes and made uncon-

The prosecution added that the present case was one of a series involving many captured. A the present case was one of a series involving many captured to the Could add to the Series involving many captured and the present case was one of a series involving many captured and to the Could add to

Assigned to clear a blocked tainer climbed down the 20-foot sewage drain in Tong Shui deep manhole to bring the some Brazilian diplomats and Road, near Mackie's Wharf, 50- younger man out first. He was year-old Lau Chun and 28- still alive and was rushed to

save the 50-west-old man.

The Weather

Manchuria and M. Japan's and is erreading B. ever C. China . A shallow depretit a trough extends to Lyuntu. A small depression is developing at the trough to

Served Liver Of U.S. Flier At Banquet Yokohama, Mar. 11.

→Reuter.

Five Japanese charged with serving the liver of an American flier at an officers' club banquet in the spring of 1945 went on trial here today together with 25 other war crimes suspects. . In clock with them and five It took the assistant pro-

Japanese ex-generals was the secutor more than an hour to first Japanese woman to be read the charges and specificacharged with war crime atro- tions into the record. cities, tight-lipped, comely Shi- The prosecution claimed that CHNESE zuko Tautaui, 81, former chief on four different occasions in nurse at Kyushu Imperial Uni- May and June 1945 eight cap- DEMAND FOR

by the Japanese and said that iment. It claimed that all at; least eight of them were operations carried out on the killed by the defendants. The prisoners were not intended to

Most Uninquisitive Race in . World." Page Three

of Sale of Young Clirk.

Linding Article :- Business :- Exchange.

Wifell Despatches.

The prosecution listed 12 leased to the University for Americans who were captured purposes of medical exper- COMPENSATION by the Japanese and said that iment. It claimed that all COMPENSATION

visection and dissection.

(1) When Britain first approached Canada to send two battalions to Hong Kong, the attitude of Japan towards the United States and Britain showed "signs of certain weakening." Supported by the Nationalist air force, General Fu. according to a cable dated September 19.

Untrained (2) More than 100 of the

697 men in the expedition had less than the required 10 weeks training and 40 went AWOL (3) On October 24, the Admiralty cabled the Commanderin-Chief in China and the Canadian Prime Minister that view of altered circumtional cruiser should accompany the "Awatea" from Manila to

Hong_Kong.

"Reassure Chiang"

throughout the Far East "We should be most grateful the police that Britain's if the Government of Canada would give consideration to pro-

wo Canadian battalions."

Nanking, Mar. 11.

column pushing down the Peiping-Paoting To the Bouth-west and east, [lery (which laid down a heavy Red troops are still entrenched barrage on Tuesday night for the initial advance) is said to on the outskirts but their artilnave been silenced by bombing.

REPULSED

Tso-yi's hard-fighting Suiyuanese troops have

checked Communist General Nieh Yuang-

cheng's 48-hour-old, three-pronged attack on

Paoting, the provincial capital of Hopei and a

railway bub, with vigorous counter-blows, ac-

cording to pro-Government despatches today.

the northern outskirts, garrison forces are said

to have recaptured several strongpoints and

to have joined forces with a reinforcement.

In north-west Honan, proof, fighting is reported to be raging. The Moral In north-west Honan, bloody Lunghai railway city of Loyang, with both sides suffering heavy Downfall. casualties.

As the Communists are pour- of The ing strong reinforcements into the battle area, Chiang Kaishek, who yesterday reviewed Capitalisti mechanised units and paratroops at the north Kiangsu city of Hauchow, has ordered the First Armoured Regiment are "homosexuals. drunkards. to proceed immediately to hooligans and criminals," as-

This regiment is commanded Gazette." by Chiang's second son, Colonel The article, written by Alex-Chiang Wei-kuo, and has been androvich and quoted by Mosprominent in the pacification cow radio, says that "those operations in North Kiangsu. | was fashion Brazil's home pol-Communist attack passenger Brazilian diplomats. They

Szepingkai

In Manchuria Nationalist says: The telephone warning was rearguard fighting at Szeping- "Homosexuals, drunkards, year-old Chan Sang equipped the hospital." kai, 100 miles north of Mukden, hooligans and criminals—these themselves with the necessary Difficulty was experienced in was reported to be nearing its are they who represent Brazii bamboo rods, and descended two getting the elder man out. It Southampton, 80 miles from and today as General Lin Piao abroad, fulfilling their instruc- manholes, 25 yards apart. was not until two hours after applied more pressure against tions and orders from the 'Dol- Pressure from the younger he started work that his limp the two Nationalist regiments | lar Empire.

telephone the caller said: want to warn you Mr. Churchill will be murdered at mid The officer tried to detain the man on the telephone by the Communist commander-in- ciated Press, and providing an opportunity tionals killed in border clashes. caller hung up... The police chief's move against Chang the Foreign Office said its traced the call to a telephone chun, or General Fan Han-The prosecution said in some out specifically that places al- The Southampton police Pelping-Mukden railway. Nor Canton Airlied



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Charged

Alleged to be the fourth man concerned in the murder of Mr. L.B. Wood, of Deneon & Co., who was brutally killed on a path leading from Llon Rock, Shatin, on Feb. 11, a 32-year-old gardener, Li Chung-chun, alias Li Chik-sang, a native of Mai King What his neighbour is Chik-sang, a native of Mai King What his neighbour is Village, was remanded to Saturmurdering Mr. Wood. Defendant's address was given

Hong Kong Employment rigures

No. 377. The Peak.

'A' total of 64,499 workers were employed in the Colony's registered factories and workshops at the end of last December, according to the curtent issue of the Far Eastern Economic Review.

Of the total, 40,840, or 63 per cent were men. T' -'C' land's largest employers, by nearly 30 per cent of the registered and clothing industry with 1,561

Peninsula Hotel tarrivals:-Mrs. D. C. Old. Mr. and Mrs. D. McWhirter, Robert J. Cros and Mrs. Helen C. Kingsley,

Peninsula departures:-T. A. S. Hards, E. R. Hughes, Dr. Robert Cook, Mr. and Mrs. B. I. Blckford.

Hotel yesterday and Mrs. G. W. Massey. Departures included Mr. F. Boundy, Miss J. Gaze, Mr. M. C. Martin, Miss D. Young and Mrs. Young.

Arrivals at the Gloucester had been generated. Hotel yesterday included Mr. R J. Armstrong, and Mr. W. Lis-Departures included Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Hunt, Mr. Finlater, Mr. Harrock and Mrs. W. F. Savale.

Departures from Repulse Bay Hotel yesterday included Mr. A. T. H. Hesketh.

he will give a talk on Macao. Too if tried to pass him but he push- B. A. Bernnechi, instructed by provided freight was paid. meet at Talbot House, 50, Macdonnell ed her inside. On examination Mr. J. M. d'Almada Remedios. Tung Wan only had this Road, Hong Kong at 3.10 p.m. and the basket she was carrying Mr. Charles Loseby, instruct no others. Mg said he had a list

ers Mission, headed by Mr. Shum Manufacturers Union, were guests of and get a rickshaw for him.
the Governor at lunch yesterday at. Li Siu said that as she was Government House. They are leav-America on Saturday by the s.s. "President Cleveland".

"China Mail" understands that Mr. A. J. Clifford, Crown Counsel, is shortly to take up private practice as a bartister-at-law.

LABOUR M.Ps.

"The Chinese are the most uninquisitive race in

the world as regards the activities of their neighbours," Mr. Marcus, da Silva, representing five defendants involved in the alleged operation of an illegal wireless station at No. 7, Hankow Road, second floor, told the Court at Kowloon yesterday:

wrist watch, a tin of tobacco, \$27, 30, married woman, and Choi a rickshaw for him.

while his foki, 19-year-old gave the set to Li whom he met covered hidden in a pair

Charged with permitting the Chung said, he was busy mak- ped in the hollow beside the premises to be used as an ing connections for his busi- ankles of the passenger, station, illegal wireless year-old tailor Chan Liu-fai was fined \$2,500. Chan had pleaded not guilty.

Askew Praised

the witnesses (police) gave said, was what they had told D.C.R.O. 62. The gold has since ware industry with 3,548 workers; their evidence-not adding a him-that they were engaged been transferred to the Hons little nor subtracting any.".

"I agree with you, Mr. Silva, and I must also say that DSI seen Wong using his telephone Askew has always been ex- but being hard of hearing he tremely fair and able." Mr. did not know, what he was say-Lutimer remarked.

DSI Askew, opening the case, reveral Chinese detectives raid- but, which he said

female defendants were arrested with parts in their hands. Mr. J. Key, Wireless Inspector, said that he found the set still warm. It was definite

that it was used for transmitting, as high tension electricity

Radio Room

D/LS 782 saw Li Siu carry ing-a-radio-set-when-he-entered the floor. She told him that Chung had asked her to hold it. He found a radio room and Chung admitted being the Professor Ma Kiam of Hong Kong | operator while Wong who was sitting next to him beside the Chiang Dani at the weekly meeting apparatus said he was employof the Y's Men at the Hong Kong ed by Chung as a telephone receiver.

when the knitting in the front sitting got up to open the rear door.

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Worg Lau, also pleading guilty, in the passage. The station was fined \$3,000 or six months had been in operation only eight away to hold the gold. days. Prior to that period, Two bars were found

Wanted A Flat

Chap, proprietor of the Chung Shan Tailor Shop, Pek-"I must compliment DSI Hankow Road, second floor, in ball to be extreated, much impressed by the manner doing. All he knew, Chan 2.30, p.m. on Wednesday

> However, he occasionally had ing at any time.

in, salt, business.

Under cross-examination by for that set, Chan added. Various parts of telecom- | The apparatus was confiscat-

munication apparatus were ed, but the receiving set, befound in the flat and the two longing to the tailor, was re- 1946 was at the rate of 10%

"Kwangtung" arrived in the harbour from Macao yesterday afternoon she had on board another would-be trafficker in gold buillon. Revenue Difficers found 10 bars of apill valued at \$17,500, is a specially constructed pair of shoes of one of the passen-

Chik-sing, a native of Mai King Village, was remanded to Saturday in police custody when he appeared at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday before Mr. Blair-Kerr. Li was charged with three other men with robbing at pastel point G.R. Ross, 35, director of Deacon & Co., of a stainless steel Deacon & Co., of a stainless steel Deacon & Co., of a stainless steel was and control of the basket downstairs and call a false bottom of a rattan wright watch a tip of tobacco \$27. wrist watch, a the of tobacco, \$27, 30, married woman, and Choi in cash, a walking stick and a late of the court of the late of the late of the court of the late of the court of the late of the late of the court of the late of the late of the late of the court of the late of the court of the late of the court of the late of

Confiscated

Revenue Officer Redman appli ing Road, said Chung approach
F.X. d'Almada at Central Magisllams made the necessary or ment.

Let-Sub-Inspector Downer proconfiscation der. Both the Magistrate and De- from a friend in Canton, re- order for 13 gold bars, weighing fence Counsel complimented questing a flat. He was re- \$4.59 tacls and valued at \$22.

DSL C. J. Askew on the manluctant at first, but eventually was on ball cf. \$100, failed to apner in which he conducted the Chung and Wong moved into pear to answer the charge, his servant's quarters in No. 7. The Magistrate also ordered

ed his prosecution," Mr. da know what they had inside gold was found on the person of Silva said, and I am also their room nor what they were board the war. Kwong Tung at Kong and Shanghai Bank.

CHARTERED BANK DIVIDEND

said that on a warrant from the prosecution, Chan admitted will recommend a final dividend at Kok-ain. Stage performances of the Postmaster-General he and that he had an old radio set the rate of 7% per annum subject to was income tax making 12% for the year. ed No. 7, Hankow Road, at 11 licenced. He had an aerial Allocations: £100,000, Pension Fund; \$10,000, Widows & Ornhans Fund; #125,000. Bank Premises; #402,126. Theatrical Troupe. He did not 9.3, carried forward.

Prohibited

Ng Ping, who testified at 'yesterday's continued hearing of the action for recovery of goods or, alternatively, \$20,881, told the Court that it was not possible to get permission to take prohibited goods into China and that he had never heard of special permission being given for prohibited goods to go into China.

Mr. Justice T. J. Gould (Puisne a voyage to The Kai Cheong Firm, plain- cargo Chuen Hing had. door, opened. Chan tilla, axe, represented by Mr. would accopt anybody's cargo all interested, including ladies, are was found to contain a radio ed by Mr. A.S.C. Comber of of the cargo carried. Goods set covered by a pair of Measra. Hastings & Company, which were not on the list were constable that Wong had ask. Hing Firm, first defendants. Pigskin, sea-slugs, woollens, Chor wah, Chairman of the Chipese of her to carry, it downstairs The Tung Wan Navigation Co., rubber, slips and shoes were presented.

The claim is for the recovery obtained this information from room she heard knockings and of 40 packages of pigakin and the Kowloon Customs Office. 17 packages of rubber shoes, was not possible to get porentrusted by plaintiffs to first mission to take prohibited goods defendants for delivery to into China. He had never heard plaintiff's nominees at Swatow, of special permission or, alternatively, \$20,881, value given for prohibited goods to go of the goods and charges.

Ng. Ping said that he was present when Kni Cheong were cheque for \$2,000 odd man pa asked to pay Chuen Hing the to Chuen Hing Koo was no money. The words "Including in the office when the interview Talla Chilis Line Lid, Belius duties" were not in the docu- about cargo took place. ment produced to him when it Accepted Cheque part of Chnon Hing's agreement. Koo Suen-wing said that he to pay duties. The lowest duty Hon. TU Ching PM would be about \$4,000. By that had never done any transport to be in Cientain and who hay School Carmichael & he meant the duty payable on sation Co rented a socklost the original work.

School East Ariatic C. Ltd. 1046.

The case is being heard by tain was the owner. It was for Swatow and was to carry

gepond defendants, are not re- probibited; imports... Rubber tyres could be imported. He into China.

He was present when the

GOLD BARS | Claim For Damages

Counter-allegations that documents and other exthe purpose of the case, were made yesterday when hearing of the action by Kung Chi-fun. against The National Theatre for alleged infringement of copyrigth, was resumed before Mr. Justice E. H. Williams (Chief Justice).

Before hearing commenced yesterday, Mr. Y.K. Kan of Mcsars. Lo and Lo, who appeared for the National Treatre, deferidants, was granted leave to withdraw from the trial on the ground that a Third Party having been brought in, he could be of no assistance to the Court-

Party, were represented by Mr.

D.A.L. Wright, instructed by Mr. J.M. D'Almada Remedios.

After Mr. Kan had made his application for leave to with four HS\$100 drafts on the Crockdraw, Mr. Griffiths applied for effects. National Bank of San certain particulars in the state- I francisco. ment of defence by the Third ! Mr. Blair-Kerr found both de-Party to be struck out. On Mr. lendants, represented by Mr. Marcus do Silvo, guilty and fined Wright intimating that he had

Opening his case, Mr. Griffiths said that the plaintiff's claim at the Loi Yuen Money Changer was for damages for infringe- in July, 1947, and received \$1,ment of his copyright, in a 936 from Wong Wat who knew unit and shipbuilding and repairing Askew for the way he conduct | November, 1947. He did not . According to R.O. Redman, the dramatic work entitled "Yven her well, Shortly after this Woo Wong Seung See." The mode of of the drafts to Wong and inon infringement was by public formed hard of the irregularities. exhibition at the defendant's Both well to see Kweng who was theatre of a cinematograph film accused of cashing somebody with dialogue and songs. film bore the same title as that and the police. Was informed, of the work of plaintiff. The defendants; had, brought in the makers, of the film by way of Third Party proceedings.

Plaintiff, in his testimony, At the Chartered Bank Stockholders | anid that he wrote "Yuen Wong Seung See" In 1940, Jon Sit this work had been performed on many occasions in Hong Kong by the Kwok Sin Sun copy the play or characters from any other source, nor had. ever been to Shanghai.

Cross-examined plaintiff said that the original manuscript was with the threatrical troupe. He had sold the stage rights to Sit Kok-sin for \$400.

Chu Gay, Flim Director, said that in July and August last wear, he was employed by the Third Party to make certain alterations to a play entitled "Yuen Wong Seung See." He was given a copy of the story of the play for stage performances. The cover of the book bore the title "Yuen ; Wong Seung See" as well as that of the author. Fung Chi-fun

Took Cutting Answering Mr. Wright, Chu said that he took certain cutting were fabricated.

Cheng Tex-chong. Sub-mana-

of the Third Party said that in July 1947, he received instructions from his Managing Director to produce a film en titled "Yuen Wong Soung Sec." At the same time, he was handed a book bearing that title. Under cross examination. Cheng said that prior to the present action, he did not know plaintiff, neither had he heard of a stage play by the name Yuen Wong Seung Sec." He denied that Third Party and pirated plaintiff's works. Cheng. also denied that the documents produced by him had been fabricated for the purpose of

"Further evidence in support of the case for Third Party was given by Chan Chi-ping and Morman Lee, Aller which Men Weight applied for loave to enable him to secure Chu Chi-Ianza witness who was belleved

perious Offence

follows, but the offence is The Great China Film Development Co., cited as Third when he delivered judgment on
Party, were represented by Mr. Kwing Yung, 32, and Li Kun-

each \$2,000 with his alternative Det-Sub-Inspector Dowingn pro-

defendants.



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Chinese Affairs by a 16-year-old girl, alleging that she had been enticed into the Colony for the purpose of prostitution, led to the discovery of the sale of 14-year-old Wong Yan alias Ho Yau for \$100 was related by Mr. H.W. Fraser in Mr. W. H. Latimer's Court yesterday, when four married woman were charged in connection with the sale.

The women concerned were found that the premises which Law Ying allos Li Chat allas Lo had been used as a brother, had quitted yesterday. Shurt (31), Cheng Kam (45), been raided by the Police about Yuen Churn (34), and Ho Wal. 48 hours ago and the keeper. king allow Ah Yuk (22). The Loung Sze, charged and convicted. hist defendant was further charge ed with falling to report the There was, however, no truce postession of a ward within a of Cheung Lai-ching but the nine month from Sept. 20, 1940.

Chinese females found on Mr. Fraser said that a letter premises admitted being prowas received by the S. C. A. stitutes, said Mr. Fraser, come time ago from a girl, sign- The party from the S. C. A. ing herself as Cheung Lal-ching then proceeded to 8. Cheung Lok and stated to be 16 years of age, Street, first floor, said Mr. Frager, fendant in court, appending fr assistance, In the letter the girl ulleged failed to produce Cheung Laithat she had been enticed by ching. On the premises was a 10her cousin, Lai Ming, to come year-old boy,

obtain employment. "Suet Koo" for \$400 and taken proceeded to that address.

On March & continued Mr. ferry at Hong Kong a woman resulting in the deaths of a AUSTRALIAN Frascr, he went to the Temple just coming out of the ferry was Street address accompanied by pointed out to him as the owner Lady Inspector Cheng and a of the 18-year-old girl. party of District Watchmen and Girl Found

sented to her as a enui-tsai (slave sented to ner as a enui-usai (slave) G.L.Falkoff as advisory officer to a charge of being a destitute girl) and formed part of her G.L.Falkoff as advisory officer with no visible means of support marriage dowry.

Ho Wai-king added that after the death of her husband she came to Hong Kong to live with Cheng Kom at 201 Shanghal Street, third floor. After a while, said Mr. Fraser,

Ho (no she said) went to Canton, of Cheng. On or about Jan, 27 this year,

through the introduction of Yuen the fourth accused returned from goon on account of plague. . . Chater Road. Canten and immediately asked for the return of her mui-tagi. She was told by Cheng that the

Later that day Ho met the at Shaughni Street and was fold by her that she had been sold to Law. Ho thereupon went to Cheng's house and together they, went, to the Temple Street address. There, Law. told Ho that she could have back the girl on payment of the \$100 lent

girl had been sold,

to Cheng.

Ho paid over the \$40 she had on her and promised to repay the balance at a later date; She brought the girl back to 17 Wcosung Street, first floor, Ho was ulleged to have told Mr. Fraser, Mr. Fruser added that while the girl was with Law Ying sho had to do the housework as well as running errands for the prostitutes on the premises. Concluding, Mr. Fraser sald that he was prepared to believe third defendant's story that she wes an innocent party to the whole transaction and that she wus merely acting ha a go-between for Law , who stated that she wanted to adopt a daughter. First defendant was find \$250 (or two months ... hard labour);

month's hard labour). Charged with stealing drums of petrol and a 4-gallon tin of cil. droperty of the Hong to Enjoy. Kong Government, from No. landing craft in Typhoon Shelter at 5.55 am, on March 7. Fung Telesing 60. unemployed, and Chan Ming, of No. 567 Reclamation Street; first floor. were both remanded 48 hours at Kowloon youterday.

second, four months hard labour,

labour: and fourth, \$50 (or a

A remend of three days was granted by: Mr. F. X. d'Almada at 9 Lethal, 10 Dazed, 11 -Magic, 12 Central Magistency, yesterday, when Teem, 13, Alert, 16 Heated, Taol Kwok Kuen, 21, was charged Cradle, 20 Green, 22 Scar, with demanding \$15 from Wong so Egged, 25 Villa, 26 Rustle, 27 Erred, Thirteen, 16 Hangara, 17 Altered,

Gendarme Acquitted

District. Gendarmerie . charged should have waited. . . . with three others before the No. War Crimes Court, was ac- to them and push them back in

case to: answer. Mr Matsuoka to them very nicely and actually that there was nothing in the evidence of the prosecuting witnesses to connect him with head sadly and promptly went the charge. Only one witness, back again to his job. Tsang Kap, gave some evidence I would like to add that pre-

where a thorough search, also

the persons found in the Temple ted accused. When she arrived, the girl Street and Cheung Lok Street. The case against the three try to cross at the wrong time, wrote, she was taken to 8 Che ng premises back to the B. C. A. others will be continued on and that the few Chinese merely discovered, was a brothel. Be- As the result information res Saturday, The four Japanese offended through ignorance, hence cause of her refusal to practice ceived by him that the writer of were accused of having com- the different ways adopted in prostitution, she alleged, she was the letter was to be found in 74 mitted war crimes, while con- the two cases. sold to a Chinese female called Woosung Street, first, floor, he nected with the Kowloon District Gendarmerie in the ill- 1 number and physical suffering SURRENDERS to others.

The court comprises Lieut. Accompanied by the woman, Col. P.Warwick (president), AS Street and there found a 14-year- J. Benyon. The prosecution is Ralph Greig-Henderson, 26, of old girl, Wong Yau allas Ho Yau, being conducted by Major M.I. Perth, Western Australia, pleaded whose owner (the fourth accus- Ormsby and the defence by Mr. guilty before Mr. F.X. d'Almada ed) said that the girl was pre- Matsuoka Yoshihiko with Lt. at Central Magistracy yesterday to the defence

UNLAWFUL BOARDING

Twelve natives of Swatow, including five women and a bunchback, Wednesday and said that he was leaving the girl in the custody were fined \$200 each or two months without means of support, imprisonment at the Marine Court

security for a loan of \$100, sailed for Swatow.

... Objection

The grounds of objection are.

Kor the past one hundred

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which is a matter highly un-

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a fair-sized dwelling house

Bir, My attention was at Sir, In view of the Notice tracted by an uncident this morni having recently been but up that ing, about 9:40 a.m. which should the Hung Shing. Building Conbe given due publicity, if only tractors of No. 255 Lockhart Rd. in fairness to the officer con- are planning to construct a cerned. Of late we have had a triangular, pavillon on the pleas number of complaints about the of vacant Crown Land Immeattitude of some police officers diately outside the old-No. towards members of the public. Police Station Wanchal, it is ob-Perhaps if those guilty of this vious that some merchant has had seen the officer I am ie- succeeded in obtaining an annual ferring to the was the Superint permit from the Crown Land tendent), they would have learnt Office to maintain distructure on a lesson on how to treat the the area for a business purpose In the interest of public health

. The Superintendent was "direct and public safety, no reasonable ing traffic" ant the bottom of structure can be allowed on this Garden Road. Without paying piece of ground even for a Public the slightest notice to his efforts; purpose. Sergeant Kawai Hisao, a for- some five or alx Chinese women mer member of the Kowloon crossed the road when they briefly, as follows:--Did the Superintendent go up

the manner I have seen so many of the Chinese policemen do? Stating that Kawai had no He went up to them and spoke Yoshihiko, for the defence, said took, the youngest offender at (no

against, him, but, this witness viously I saw this same Superwas not able to identify the de: intendent sharply pulling up a European who offended in a like manner. May 1 conclude, that 3. After Major Ormaby had re- officers who deal with each case plied for the prosecution, the on its own merits are a credit to Court adjourned for a short the Force? My point is this. The to Hong Kong from Canton to Mr. Fraser said that he stook while and on its return acquit- Superintendent obviously took it for granted that the European

APPRECIATIVE

to a charge of being a destitute and was ordered to be detained in the House of Detention until 6. passage could be secured for his return to Australia.

According to S.I. Pilkington, defendant surrendered himself to Special Branch headquarters on

A remand of two days was They were convicted of unlawfully granted Inspector A.F. Cochrane sented the girl to Law Ying at boarding the s.s. "Daviken" on by Mr. F.X. d'Almada at Central 165 Temple Street, first floor, as Wednesday just before the vessel Magistracy... yesterday, when Cheung Ying was charged with the larceny of a G.E.C. Radio re-Quarentine zestrictions have been cerving set . from the British Recently, continued Mr. Fraser, imposed against arrivals from Ran- General . Electric Company of

A BRITISH CROSSWORD PUZZLE

of Crown Land opposite the Craigengower Cricket Club playing ground, was cancelled presumably for reasons of public health. This ground, however. was many : times more , favourable, than the area complained of. Some 20 years ago, in a Public Meeting held at the de-

molished City Hall (now Hong Kong Bank site) the only question how to find ground for expansion of bustness premises was discussed, One speaker is remembered to have the courage to suggest the conversion of our famous Cricket Ground. Another percenter unhesitatingly, replied in very strong words that the suggestion meant the destruction of the Lungs of the City, and no

more was heard then and thereafter. The ground in question is surrounded by two popular theatres, the Cathay and the Oriental, many big business houses and restaurants, the King Restaurant (having some 20 floors) be-ing exactly opposite. In addition, motor traffic is at all times congested. In the evenings, the great almost has the aimosphere of a Chi-

nese-New Year Bazaar, It is also the junction of many . Under , the to eircumatances; , the responsible Higher Authorities of the Government should consider it their duty to review the mat-

ter before it is too late.

Chung Ka-so, willow, and Kwoki Kam-taj, boatman of Class B. Beat No. 1116V, were remanded 48 hours in police custody when they appeared before Mr. Latimer at Kowloom Magistracy yesterday, Both were charged with receiving abourd the boat two boxes (720 rounds) of .12 aminunition between Feb. Ale and Matth 7, in the Yaumati Typhoon

PUBLIC INTEREST.

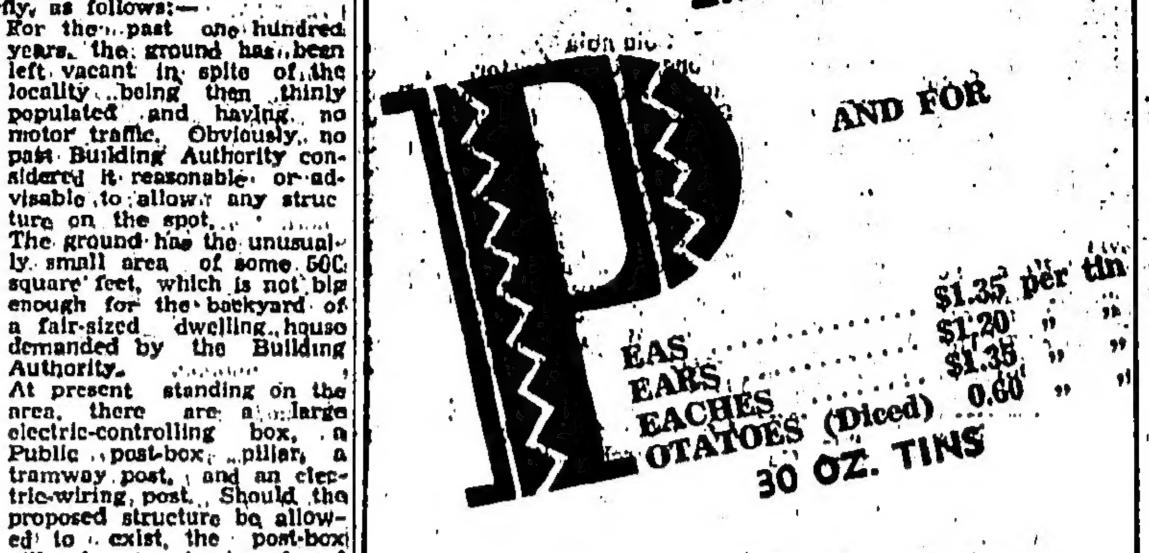
The next meeting of the Central School Parents' Association will be held on Monday at 4 p.m. at the European Y.M.C.A. Kowloom.

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Notice is also given that the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 4th March, 1948, to the 17th March, 1948, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

C. E. TERRY. Manager & Secretary.

NOTICE

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> NOTICE IS ALSO GIVEN a Special Resolution. that the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 5th March, 1948 to the 19th March, 1948 both days inclu-

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marine, Stockings Sea-Boot AND NOTICE is also given Long, Suits Comb Flying Deck, that the Share Transfer Regis-Vesta Winter and Summer, Com- ters will be closed from 30th forters, Duffel Coats, Jerkins March, 1948 to 3rd April, 1948.

By order of the Board.

R. A. WICKERSON,

Managing Director. Hongkong, 9th March, 1948.

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> made between 9.00 a. m. and The TRANSFER BOOK of 12 noon and between 2.00 p. m. the Company will be CLOSED and 4:00 p. m. on 11th., 12th. from the 80th March, to the

URBAN COUNCIL NOTICE

is the intention of the Urban Council to exhume all un authorised graves and urns in 10 Japan the New Kowloon No. 7 private exhumation of any of mate terminal will be Tokyo. the Urban Council before 1st extension of the service will September, 1948.

T. S. D. WHITLEY, Secretary, Urban Council. 10th March, 1948.

NOTICE ROYAL HONG KONG YACHT CLUB

MEETING POSTPONED TO 6th APRIL, 1948.

Since further amendments to is scheduled for March 26. the proposed new Articles of Association had to be made, it and £385 return. will be necessary to postpone the Extraordinary General Meeting originally called for UDIUM 15th March, 1948, and

NOTICE IS HEREBY given Arrests that the EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club ible for raiding an oplum diva in Wanchai district on Wednesson TUESDAY, 6th April, 1948, raided the first floor of No. 7 at 6 p.m., when the subjoined Amoy Street and arrested the Resolution will be proposed at keeper and 17 smokers.

"That the Articles Association adopted by the \$25 or 10 days. hereby revoked

FURTHER THAT the Articles Wong Fu. 32, female of 16' of Association, a copy whereof Hollywood Road first floor way has for identification been also arraigned before Mr. F.X. signed by the Commodore, Mr. d'Almada and booked on a charge of keeping the divan and permitting four smokers on the Hon. Secretary, Mr. F. S. Coote, premises. and has been open for inspection | She pleaded that she had a since the 12th day of March, and oplum was given her by 1948, be and are hereby adopted friend who had taken pity on her that she might make a living. as the Articles of Association her that she received 12 months and re of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht recommendation for banishmen'

A copy of the proposed amended Articles signed by the Commodors and by the Hon. Becretary's Office. But She Was A Secretary is open for inspection in the Hon. Becretary's Office. in the Hon. Secretary's Office,

will, be circularised to

By Order of the Committee.

Hon. Secretary. then called in a jeweller to buy

Hongkong, 12th March, 1948.

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NOTICE TO

SHAREHOLDERS

The Seventy-fifth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders sent birthday greetings to Frederik will be held at the offices of the IX of Denmark. The Generalissimo's Undersigned on Friday, the 2nd message said: "On the occasion of April, .1948, at Noon, for the your Majesty's birthday, please accept nurpose of receiving the Report my warmest solicitations and best of the General Managers to wishes for many happy returns."gether with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st

December, 1947. The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 19th March to the 2nd April, 1948, both days in-

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It is hereby notified that it Dervice

Cemetery at Ngau Chi Wan. The first British civil air The exhumations will commence service , between the United on 1st September, 1948. The Kingdom and Japan is due to remains so exhumed will be open on March 19 whon removed to New Kowloon No. B.O.A.C. will extend the exist-8 Cemetery (Diamond Hill Urn ing flyingboat Speedbird route Cemetery) for reburial. All now ending at Hong Kong to persons wishing to arrange for Iwakuni near Kure. The ultithese graves or removal of any Hong Kong to Iwakuni will of these urns should apply to be flown in one stage and this

> making the overall distance from Poole (Dorset) to Japar of 10,625 miles. Night stops will be made at Carlo, Karachi, Calcutta, Bang kok and Hong Kong and the

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Inspector Heyward was respon-

Arraigned before Mr. F.X. d'Almada yesterday, the keeper of was fined. \$850 or four months' while all the smokers were fined

Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club For keeping an oplum divan by an extraordinary resolution and allowing four smokers to frepassed on the 25th day of quent the premises, Inspector J October, 1988, and confirmed as Mills prosecuted the defendants a Special Resolution on the before Mr. F.X. d'Almada yester day. The keeper was given 1? 15th day of November, 1933, be months and a recommendation for banishment, while the bail or the amokers was estreated.

in the Hon. Secretary's Office daughter of eight and the pipe

while the smokers got off. wit \$25 or 10 days.

London, Mar. 10. Sir John and Lady Rigby Copies of the amendments searched today for a new maid all after the former cabaret dancer they hired, "with the highest | | references," gave a week-end party on Sir John's champagne, gave another party, next day F. S. COOTE, on Sir John's vintage port, and

> the Rigbys' antique gems. The Court decided yesterday that there was something wrong with 40-year-old Mrs. + FRESH OYSTERS! MacKenzie's references since she had been released from pri-

John hired her. "She was really a wonderful cook," said Sir . John sadly .-United Press.

Nanking, Mar. 11. President Chlang Kai-shek today

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take over on 'May 15, Mr. Creech lones said: "We have tried to create conditions whereby an orderly life can continue in l'alestine, by creat-Swords that flash vengeancel ing security forces and transferring to be sent to Palestine, power to local councils of Jewish and Arab groups in order that as much soldiers," he said. as possible of the normal life and services can continue."

If the Palestine 'Commission was unable to undertake its responsibility, Bill because it "fails to make proand new situation."

Up To Others To

Find Solution

The British people "will not tolerate any new

They had given much for the fulfilment of inter-

implement a solution which has Labour Members who signed

Mr. Arthur Creech Jones, said today.

asked to endure more.

withdrawal and the protection of way."

themselves and their stores.

Nemesis

Asked what would happen if the

United Nations Commission did not

mandate on May 15.

foreign territory, .

commitment in Palestine after our bitter and

tragic experience", the Colonial Secretary,

national responsibilities and should not be

"It is now for others to find and | Sir Richard Acland, one of the 14

eluded us," Mr. Creech Jones declar- motion to reject the Bill because it

He was opening the Commons de- United Nations," said: "I wonder

hate on a Government Bill providing that the whole House takes it for

for the handing over of the British granted that the Arabs are going to

Moving the second reading of the "If great world powers do not

tine would cease. The British forces by violence, I offer the prediction

still there after that date would be that, because the Jews are much

in the position of armed forces in hetter at organising themselves, much

Their actions would be limited to persistent, in the end it will not be

Bill, Mr. Creech Jones said that after interfere on one side or the other,

London, Mar. 10.

"undermines the authority of the

An assertion that Russia had al-

During a visit to a displaced per-

"They were all trained Communist

Mr. William Warbey, Labour,

The sponsors of the amendment,

Amendment Lost

win if it comes to violence.

ber, Sir Peter MacDonald,

had found its nemesis in the attitude | decision," of the British people to this problem. Mr. Richard Butler, Conservative, he said, emirely agreed with the Bill was defeated by 240 votes to announced the Opposition's intention decision to enil the mandate and 10. not to vote against the Bill. He said withdraw British troops. But the hesitation to pass the Bill might Bill would leave "a complete -agreed to in principle-without a give an impression that Britain could vacuum" behind after the British division .- Reuter. he constrained into assuming responsibilities which conflicted with the principles faid down by the Coloniai, Secretary-"principles which have the support of British public opinion as a whole.

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Santiago de Chile, Mar. 10. Over 40 people were to-day reported drowned when the steamer Helvetia foundered after being in collision with a lighter in a

Chilean river. The steamer was carrying more than 50 passengers. The only Helvetia listed by Lloyds Register, Reuter adds, is a 250-ton ship registered at Rotterdam.-

Britain's New: Troop Carrier May 15, Beitish jurisdiction in Paler- and if this business is to be settled

Radlett Aerodrome. Hertfordshire, Mar. 10. The latest British military better disciplinarians, and much more plane, the 50-scater Handley Egypt, Pakistan, India, Singa- ed to the official flagstaff.

ready gut some troops in Palestine pore and Australia. was made by a Conservative Memtropical conditions will be tested during the six-weeks flight. Bevin said. sons camp in Austria last year, he The Hastings can carry 50 said, he found many young Russian Jews who had served with the Rusfully equipped troops or guns sian forces, well equipped with and lorries weighing seven and visas, money and clothing, waiting

a half tons.

its four Bristol Hercules engines give it a range of 3,260 miles.—Reuter.

moved an amendment to reject the authority was withdrawn. He accused the Government . of 'we shall be confronted by a different visions for the independence of delaying and frustrating the work Jewish and Arab States in Palestine of the United Nations Assembly, in-Terrorism in Palestine, he said, as provided by the United Nations stead of helping in the work of the Commission.

The Labour amendment to the

The Bill was read a second time

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London, Mar. 10. Britain was unable to note from Guatemala last week dislaiming responsibility for the attack on the Legation British Guatemala March 1, the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, told the House of Commons today.

The note was delivered to the British Government on March 4 Page Hastings, left here today tost after "insulting placards" had whatever might be required for their the Arabs who will get their own on a 26,000-mile test light, in been stuck to the Legation buildwhich it will visit Malta, ing and the Guatemalan flag hoist-The British Minister in Gua-The plane's behaviour under temala, Mr. W. H. Galliene, was instructed to return the note, Mr.

> Mr. Bevin said the demonstration constituted a threat to the safety of the premises and staff. He had impressed on the Guatemalan Minister in London, General Miguel Fuentes, the importance attached by the British Government to the protection of diplomatic premises abroad in ac-

cordance with international law. Mr. Anthony Eden, deputy leader of the Conservative Opposition, declared that conduct of this kind, entirely contrary to recognised international behaviour, was "hardly a recommendation for Guatemala to have a square inch of anybody's soil",

Mr. Bevin replied: "I conveyd our feelings very strongly to the Guatemalan Minister. He is under no illusions and neither is his Government".- Router.

SURPLUS GOODS FOR CHINA

Washington, Mar. 10. The Secretary of State, Mr. George Marshall, told a press conference tiday that by June 30. 1948, surplus property to ar estimated value of \$500.000.000 would have been transferred from the Pacific Islands to China.

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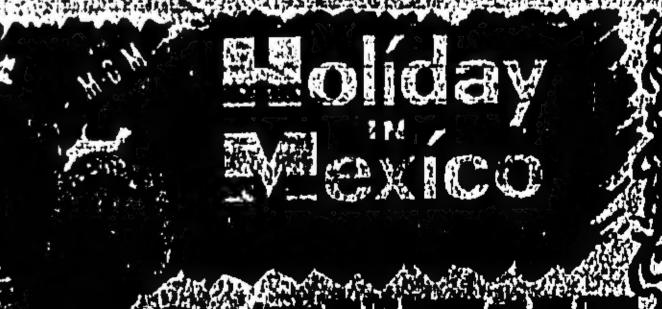
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BUSINESS AND EXCHANGE

One significant omission was noticeable in the Hon, R.D. Giled the considerable attention of is entirely incorrect." every local business man, particularly in the last four or five the unfortunate circumstances they should not in any way be which resulted in Burma being mixed up with British troops,...

How much is involved is indicated by two factors. The keen interest now being taken in London in exchange movements in Hong Kong was amply illustrated by Wednesday's question in have given sympathetic const- ceptance of the Generalissimo's the House of Commons, to which deration as part of her own de-joffer. It should be noted, that a Mr. Glanville Hall replied dicating the imminence of further measures to check a leakage of gold dollars, if further measures be met in time from the United are practicable. This reply, Kingdom, clearly, is linked with the presence in Hong Kong at the moment of an official of the Bank of England, whose mission is somewhat "hush-hush" but must tain's concern, over "free market" activities in Hong Kong and the hints of damaging gold dollar leakages through this Colony.

Many of the allegations are, of Claude Auchinicek, course, based upon an incomplete is, in all conscience, rigid to the Gen. Wavell said he was greatof trade. In this connection, Mr. unpreparedness in Burma's Portsmore's visit should serve to fence when he took over clear up much misunderstanding such exchange manipulations are operated through Hong Kong

have been highly exaggerated. sidered in importance beside the markets" operating in the tendency has been exactly the ger to Burma protected on the telligence before the war and as from the country by 45 per same as in Hong Kong, to put east by two neutral states, Slam a result we were usually in comthe American dollar at a consi- had professed their intention to pening just over the Thailand derable premium over the pound defend themselves against Japan- porder. The same applied to inin comparison with official rates. ese aggression, and by natural ternal intelligence," he records. chological damage to sterling's der while, so long as Singapore ture throughout, status in such a situation, but the remained, there was little danger danger in Paris, ordinarily the of a threat from the sea. most important financial centre on the Continent, must be immeasurably greater than here in Hong Kong, on the extreme edge of things. The practical risk of ed low on the War Office priority knit peacetime system of civil any considerable leakage, too, is list despite Wavell's insistence not great and the surprising that more attention should be paid thing is that so much fuss is be-

ing made about it. Looking at Mr. Gillespie's survey in the light of these facts, it Far Eastern Command informed is possible that he left unsaid a one that an attack in force against Burma was unlikely until the great deal that might have been Japanese had completed said, very conscious that he was compaigns in Malaya and

For the rest, his analysis covered a great deal of ground but sufficient strength and also that added little to the sum of human he was wrong in his appreciation knowledge. Hong Kong's inter- of the Japanese Intentions which, knowledge. Hong Kong's interof the says, was due largely to the he says, was due largely to the he says, was due largely to the he says was due largely to the poor Allied intelligence systems, importance to the activities of the stead of going on with your partner wants to double, insystem of Imperial Preferences, Finally when the war against Free Burma Army which opposbidding.

The did not attach any great your partner wants to double, instead of going on with your own mond 3 was ruffed by the spade 2
and the heart K scored. That set argument. Quite rightly, how- fantry battalions, two Indian in of the campaign. ever, Mr. Gillespie insisted that talions of Burma Rifles were and the organization of the soit would most unwise for Hong available for Burma's defence. called Free Burma Army, the 8, 10 Kong to place entire reliance Japan started only two British In- situation naturally grew twerse 8. 10

10 place entire reliance Japan started only two British In11 place the started only but it is fair to say that the H. Jyo 97, N. 1955 upon such adventitious aids if her The artillery comprised only but it is fair to say that the D. 10.7 merchants desire to maintain four mountain batteries and the ably little, although their pre-

The position of the local ship- aircraft which proved unable to By December 23, 1941, Gen. vards, where labour costs are so compete with the Japanese fift-brigades in Burma could be rehigh that their tenders for new ers

The loss of Burma was the most serious. Allied reverse in the Pacific, according to General Wavell, whose official despatches are released today.

FAILED TO IMPRESS WHITEHALL BRASS By Harold Guard

armies were being forced to re- the dispatches state. treat by vastly superior enemy

lespie's otherwise comprehensive any one of the Generals make survey of Hong Kong trade and excuses for the Allied defeat industry at the annual meeting which has already been aptly summarized by the American of the General Chamber of General Joseph Stilwell's down-Commerce. From beginning to right verdlet: "We took one hell end, no reference was made to of a licking," although General the Colony's exchange problems, Alexander emphasizes that "any iden that the Army in Burma was although these must have engage driven back by inferior numbers

General Wavell again reviews available for his troops and that

command to another. "The War Office was too far trative services of their own away and too occupied with other would have complicated the almutters to concern itself with, or ready' difficult administrative even to understand, the needs of problem in Burma. These were Burma, to which India would the reasons for my qualified actente problem," he records, adding that it had long been apparent to him it was quite impossible for Burma's requirements to

Cardinal Error

"The cardinal mistake was the placing of Burma in the Far East ence of the slowness of the Command instead of under Inlogically be connected with Bri- dia," he declares, claiming that recommendations to this effect of the Fifth and Sixth armies at had repeatedly been made by once, they would actually have himself and several successive reached Burma very little, if any, Commanders-in-Chief in India, sooner than they eventually did," including his predecessor Gen Sir

derations, even when the Japan-I wholeheartedly and at once. requires in the United Kingdom) closer. Later, the fall of Singa- in the end, to the defence almost certainly insist that Hong pore convinced the War Office the Burma," Wavell records. Kong's exchange control system change of command was justified, when it was too late,

point of acting in severe restraint ly concerned by the extent of

Nor is it to be overlooked that ascertain their mest pressing Hong Kong is hardly to be con- needs," he records in his official

But he failed to impress the system in Burma. brass-hats in Whitehall to whom Milan, Rome and Paris, where there seemed little pressing dan- made to provide for external in- today passages within and colony is thickly forested, There is always a risk of psy-difficulties on the mountainous Hutton's version of the Burma undeveloped country on her bor- campaign partrays a gloomy pic-

Thus it was that Burma's requirements continued to be placto deficiencies in Burma's de-

"Both the War Office and the Philippines," Wavell says. He admits that he falled

their place, in competitive mar- air forces available were one sence was a constant threat. fighter squadron with a type of he records.

high that their tenders for new construction can be underbid all most anywhere in the world points a noral which is not easily to the wilds port of Rangon would have been noved by the state port of Rangon would have been noved to be dismissed. It is not any of the normal operation to be dismissed. It is not any of the normal operation to be dismissed. It is not any of the normal operation to be dismissed. It is not any of the normal operation to be dismissed. It is not any of the normal operation to be dismissed by the state of the control of the control

London, Mar. 11.

Form a strategical point of view the loss of Burma was the most serious Allied reverse in the war against Japan, according to General Sir Archibald Wavell in official dispatches released for publication today.

The dispatches cover operations in Burma from December 15, 1941 and include the official reports of Lieut.—Gen. T. J. Hutton and General Sir Harold Alexander, successive commanders in Burma when the Allied armies were being forced to rear armies were being forced to re
London, Mar. 11.

In addition, Wavell records, he asked for temporary use of Lease-lend material for themse lease lend in the losing fight for Burma.

General Alexander's account starts off by forthrightly declaring there was no real unity of command of the Allied forces in Burma although I had been nominally appointed Commanded of the Chinese Armies."

AvG did remain for the defence of the defence of Rangoon and some Lease-Lend equipment was placed at the disposal of the Burma Army... On the other hand the Generalissimo offered to send to Burma the Fifth and Sixth Chinese armies, with the American the defence is little doubt that Alexanders armies were being forced to re
the dispatches armies account section of the dispatches is that the Chinese forces did not give a very good account of themselves in the early days of 1942 and there is little doubt that Alexander armies were being forced to re
the dispatches account and the Generalissimo offered to send to Burma the fifth and Sixth Chinese armies, with the American derivative with

Reasons For Refusal.

It has been alleged that his refusal of this offer was a main contributing factor to the loss of Burma, but Wavell gives his very good reasons for the refusal, "The Generalissimo made

line of communications should be Burma, transferred three times from one But it was impossible at the time, The Chinese who had no adminisof equipment I am quite satisthe miliary situation as it appear-

> I any reason to know that the Chinese attached great importance to acceptance of the offer ... From subsequent experi-Chinese troops moves, I think that Wavell contends.

· As things have turned out Their recommendations were not however, he admits it would have saved much criticism in China knowledge of the facts, and local accepted by the War Office, ap- and the United States had he business man (not yet accustomed parently through political consi- accepted the Generalissime's offer to the commercial regimentation ese had occupied Indo-China and "I do not, however, think it that Britain's economic situation brought danger to Burma much would have made any difference

Fifth Column

"So dangerous to India did I been exaggerated; the number of concludes.-United Press. and satisfy official minds at Home consider the situation to be. I in- rebels who took arms against us that the deleterious effects of sisted the dispatch to Burma, of or assisted the enemy was proban additional Indian Infantry ably small. But the moral effect on the soldier that a proportion Brigade, and battery and arrang- of the population was patentially ed for a senior administrative hostile and treacherous was con-staff officer to visit Burma and siderable."

his section of the dispatches with a criticism of the intelligence

"No arrangements, had been

"The course of the compaign should be a warning that the civil and military administration must come on a war footing before hostilities commence. It is unfair to the troops; to the civil population, in fact unfair to and military administration to adopt itself quickly to war con-

ditions," he warns, One of the worst features of the situation in Burma was the attitude of "undisciplined, clements towards the unfortunate is seldom thought of as one of the West therefore was pretty sure to it's very wet. They say in some Indian population who were reb. qualities required for a well-round have four. Actually he had five. bed and maltreated . in / a most ed bridge player. On special . ocshameful manner in spite of the exsions, however, it can be one of passed the 3-Hearts, West would efforts of many, well disposed the most important of all your, as have doubled, and the result should Burmans to help them," Hutton sees. That is, if you can recognize have been at least \$00 points for the that a present of a lot of points is defenders.

Traitor Forces

garded as "little more than rem-

gerheads with the American General Joseph Stilwell who, it is widely known, always resented any superior command ever the Chinese which he considered to be his own,

Absence Of Road

Alexander also makes it plain that there was nothing he could it do but try to delay the Japanese perfectly clear that it was a con- advance as much as possible dition of his offer that a separate while the Allies retreated from

"I wish to emphasize that in the absence of a road to India the loss of Rankoon virtually decided the issue of the Campaign in Burms. Thereafter my task was to impose on the enemy the countries where the ignorance and gullibility of the population Chinese "Army" was the equivalent in numbers of a British divithe lying tongue of rimour than could have given a satisfactory their western brothers The fled my decision was justified by Japanese always had the help of "Where is Guatemala?" local guides and had many friends

ed to me at the time. Nor had "In fact they had all the adpolitical the vantages which accrue from have But now, with great glibness—
the log a plan and from preparations having seen the maps thrust into made over a long period in time his hands—the citizen can tell us of peace," he records,

even if I had accepted the whole bute to some sections of the Honduras. And he may give at Busina pepulation particularly the fair account of the dispute now Burma Army Signals which had on between the two countries, a large proportion of Karens and Beyoud that? Still very hazy. some Burmese personnel, which "did anagnificent work and was" completely reliable."

"The inadequacy of defence preparations in Burma were the Here are some facts for your chief cause of our defeat.... Owing to our failure to reinforce in time the enemy was nearly always u march ahead of us. I is easy to see that even one more infantry brigade received early in January would have sufficed turn the scale in practically every battle from Kawkareik to Rangoon But throughout the operations the enemy On internal affairs in Burma at superior in numbers, 'usually

PLANE FARES RAISED

Shanghai, Mar. 11. tion has authorised both CNAC and CATC to increase as from

Thus it will cost: one CN\$11.-600,000 to travel from here to Hong Kong and CN\$10,400,000 from Chungking to Hong Kong.

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THE AUTHORITY ON AUTHORITIES"

Appreciation for gifts vouchsafed ed he did not have three bearts.

By Dick Turner

"They're all coming through a bit large this year, sirpeople have so much on their minds!"

Lands Of Chewing maximum delay possible with the means remaining at my disposal Gum And Mahogany. Company the wilnerability of eastern Cum And Mahogany.

A week ago not one English

CARNIVAL.

It was one of those hazy areas in the average citizen's geogra-

that it lies in Central America, However, Alexander pays tri- on Latitude 15, next to British So let us get to know a little more about the Mahogany Country (which is British Honduras) and the Chewing-Gum Land. week-end conversation;

British Honduras, which is a GETTING TO KNOW little bigger than Wales, is the Mahogany Country, because this wood is its chief export. But also coming from it are rosewood, cedar, logwood, sugar, warsaparilla, tortoseshell,

und bananas. Arrival would surprise you You might not expect to the time, Wavell observes: "The about two to one on the actual Belize, the capital (and centre of British Honduras—Income-tax is the dispute), so well laid out. It is hard to believe that it lies

n an area of mangrove swamps. Hot And Wét

Epidemics of cholera, yellow lever-and-other-tropical-diseases have been frequent. It is hot. humld and relaxing, But high tides which cover the swamps and invigorating breezes blowing in from the sea make it healthier than it sounds. Apart from the swamps

creepers in which roam jaguar, tapir and deer.

British woodcutters who come here in the 17th century founded the colony, the Spanish tried to throw them out, there were a few local wars, and a century ago it breame British.

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whereupon South's diamond rebid in-

If East had reckoned thus and

Comorrow's Problem

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To-day there is a population of 65,000 of whom 17,000 are in a r. Belize and only one in 25 is white. Descendants of the Spaniards, Creoles, Syrians and Chinese make up the rest;

And there's at least one very only is, in the 2 on the first tax-

Over to Guatemala-which, after Mexico; is the largest producer of chicle gum, which is the basis of chewing gum. Her claim to the Colony

British Honduras is as old Guatemala itself. In 1945, in fact, she was on the point of invading our little Caribbean land. But she didn't. Britain offered the to refer the matter to the International Court of Justice, as she has again to-day, and no more was heard about it.

Old And New

Guatemala, which is 109 years old as a republic, is a mixture of ancient and modern. In 1939 reports like these reached Britain: "Wild Mayan" tribesmens fierce alghters who kill with poisoned arrows, stormed through the jungle along the Northern Guatemalan border the revolution against Guatemala's Dictator, Jorge, Ubico. broke out The rebels [were beaten but another revolt in 1944 otherthrew President Ubico. Yet in 1945 under a new constitution women are given the vote (If they can read and write) stead of supporting the major show. at 18. Men-have it at 18 automatically. Climate is good we but parts it rains 23 months in the

a commission to inquire into 10 th and the Gold Coast riots, which were cost 26 lives up to March 8, the house Colonial, Under-Secretary, Mrs. David Rees Williams, tax told trib

which was set of by an ex-serg

probably being offered to your side, Note what a swing East's unwise Commission through the bidding of your op- 3-Spades caused. The diamond K ages 146 soundest action is to pass and see if the A the club 2 put South in with the doubled contract, a plenty bad result compared to what would have

happened if East had passed the 3. The Government will set up Parliament today. .. The terms of reference would include a study of the underlying causes of the trouble.



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Soviet Ambitions Orient

Washington; Mar. 10. Military aid to China would help stop "Russian aggression" in Europe, Major General Claire Chennault, who commanded the "Flying Tigers" volunteer air force in China before the outbreak of the Pacific War, told the House of Representatives Foreign Affairs Committee today.

General Chennault, who flew here from China to give evidence on the \$570,000,000 Aid to China Bill, said failure to assist the Nanking Government would inevitably set the stage for World

The general told Congressmen: "China's enormous population could furnish almost unlimited manpower for military operations if properly "Fourthly, failure to provide Factory In furnish almost unlimited manpower trained, equipped and supplied.

"At least, the fact that they could dominated and trained labour, by Russian masters would be of utmost value to us. "It is not difficult to understand why Russia would not voluntarily launch an offensive in Europe long as China remains uncommunis-

"Nor should it be hard to understand why a third world war is improbable if China remains our friend and ally,"

General Chennault read a 13-page statement which ended with this

Threat To Peace

"Firstly, world peace is definitely threatened by the worldwide expansion plans of the Communist leaders. "Secondly, a strong, independent anti-Communist Chinese National Government constitutes our only hope of halting the spread of Communism in Asia and of preserving the peace of the world.

"China, because of its strategie geographical position, must be in people may have to accept comcluded in any overall plan for resisting the spread of Communism, for, if China goes Communist, all of continental Asia will quickly follow and there will be no continental bases left to us.

"Thirdly, after more than 10 years of continuous warfare, China has almost reached the end of her resources. She must have substantial nilitary, economic and financial aid quickly if an anti-Communist National Government is to survive.

"The alternative is a Communist Ball Pen

anti-American Government. adequate aid to China at this think will constitute the greatest failure of Shanghai adequate aid to China at this time our history and will inevitably set

the stage for World War III. "I am convinced that our plans and preparations to date have caused Communist leaders very little, if any, real concern. "In' fact, lit is more than likely

they have fitted into Russia's longrange policy very nicely, "While agitating the political | future, according to press re- countries. waters of Europe with regularity and ports today. considerable violence, the Communist leaders cannot be deeply concerned with the European situation as

affects their ultimate objective. "It is hardly-conteivable that the expenditure of any sum of money, however enormous, could, within a reasonable period of years, rehabilitate the preponderantly anti-Communist states of Europe to point where they could resist the full power of the Russian offensive for more than a few months.

"We are actually planning the to habilitation by the expenditure large sums of money and goods of number of states in Europe whose munisation at any time.

Communist Plan

"While we have concentrated nur attention upon Europe, whose value is doubtful as an asset for the prevention of war or for the winning of a war which may be forced upon us,, the Communists are pushing on rapidly with their plan for communising Chins.

"The Communist record in Asia since V-E Day indicates unmistakably that they have a very definite, well oriented plan for the communication of continental Asia.

"It is my firm belief that the Communists will not launch an attack in the West until they have secured their eastern continental front'by the communication of China at least. "It is also my firm belief that if, and when, China is communised, we will be confronted immediately with the necessity for deciding whether we will engage in a third world war, or retire to the defence of the

American continents. "It is obvious that under such conditions, our chance of defending the European states which remain outside the iron curtain at that time will not only be extremely doubtful but enormously expensive.

"In my opinion, China is the key to world peace, or to victory if a third world war is precipitated by accident or design."

Infiltration of arms," General Chennault went clate membership.

when they proclaim they do not want | constitution preamble only greatly prefer infiltration and in- draft constitution for the proposternal revolution, but their emphasis ed rice body would create. on military preparations, and their South-East Rice Committee, with refusal consistently to participate in Asiatic nations as members and pesceful democratic world Gov- non-Aslans as associates. ernment under the United Nations. clearly reveals they will not hesitate to plunge the world in another world war if their objective cannot be ob-

tained by other means. "However, this is where the im- fund consumption of rice. portance of China comes in. The Communist lenders will not resort to war-lightly or essually "The Communist leaders are prob-

ably the most realistic people in the world today, and they had bitter experience in two world wars. "I am convinced they will not de- ganisation. liberately resort to open warfare until they have obtained certain strategic objectives which they consider necessary for victory.

"The domination of China is one of these strategic essentials before they can feel safe in making war on the world.

"Our only hope of avolding another war may depend on our ability to plan and prepare for war in such a manner as to convince our realistic opponents, they cannot possibly win by force of arms." Do It Now

General Chennault said Russia had learned from Germany the mistake of war bo two fronts, and he added: "Que preparations must clude the strengthening of powerful has now become of paramount imat in Burope, and I am convinced ing aid will result in material and that we can strengthen those bloce spiritual losses which may never be to Asia at far less a price than we regained, could build an effective one in the re-

Europe

Of the fiest of Calors morals the National Union of John William of Calors of

Union Jerusalem, Mrs. 10. Police Headquarters today called for 500 voluntoers to remain in Haifa to "protect British lives and property" during the final stage of the British

tain, France and treaty for Union, have agreement in principle on all outstanding points.

The chief Belgian delegate, M. was the wording.

military attaches was held here Machines capable of productoday, a spokesman of the Belgian ing 10,000 pens daily are ex- Ministry of National Defence anpected to arrive in Shanghai nounced

London, Ottawa, Paris, Berne and The profits from sale of pens Prague attended under the presimanufactured in Shanghai will dency of General Bacle, Chief of be donated to charity projects the General Headquarters of the Belgian Army, for an exchange of views on the military aspect The idea for a pen factory of the present international situa-

Western Agreement

Brussels, Mar. 10. The five powers, Brithree Benelux countries, who have been meeting Brussels / for - the past six days to draft a a Western reached

Fernand Van Langenhove, said that the only remaining question

This would be tackled by the drafting committee and examined at the next plenary session of the Conference tonight, he declared. Full agreement had been reachturor, is making arrangements ed on the British counter-proposals to establish a Reynolds pen placed before the Conference last factory in Shanghai in the near night and referred to the Benelux

A conference of six Belgian

The attaches from Washington,

in China sprung from a visit tion. Sources close to the Government said that although the conference was arranged before the five-power treaty talks were planned, they did not discount the possibility that the military aspect of such a treaty was discussed .- Reuter.

Crops

Baguio, Mar. 10. creation of an international committee, of scientists and technicians to improve and increase the world's rice crops was decided upon here today by the Food and Agricultural Organisation's committee on the expansion of rice production.

The Far East Regional Office of the F.A.O. will organise the technical group from candidates Ex-Officer's put up by the rice-growing member nations and divide its work per nations and divide its work into three sub-committees for "utilization and control", for "water machinery and equipment" and for "soil agronomy and plant | Major C. H. Young, today denied improvement".

The efforts of the non-Asian who is under sentence of death nations to get full membership in for his share in the Burmeso the proposed South-East Asia rice State assassination of last July. body were defeated today when When his triel re-opened todelegates voted that the interna- day, the Major, who formerly "The leaders of Communism intend | tional organisation's sub-committee | served with the Burmese Ento communise all the nations of the had the right to draft a rice gincering Corps, declared that he world, either by praceful infiltration group constitution, which gives was on leave in India from Dec.

"I believe these men to be sincere | Today's debates disposed of the war, War is destructive and they with numerous amendments. The three occusions, but later the pro-

> Its proposed functions are: 1.—To formulate scientific and economic problems of the production, conservation, distribution 2.-To promote: and coordinate

8.—To undertake cooperative Chancellor of the Exchequer, in projects and make recommendations to member governments and the Food and Agricultural Or-

observer from the Supreme Com- survey published yesterday, he Reuters that if the recommends and the British people must Conference were put in practice show the world that once they by member governments, he be- had got through their present leved they would assist material difficulties, "we, in Britain, can ly in solving the world's food problem Router.

fectiveness would come only from concurrent a military, economic, and financial assistance.

Emphasising the importance of low enough price to be sold immediate action, he said: Time abyond Reuter. portance Continued delay in furnish.

A former British Army officer, charges of selling arms to the Burmese ex-Premier, U. Saw. and internal revolution, or by force the non-Aslan nations only asso- 13, 1946, to Feb. 5, 1947-the period in which he was alleged to have disposed of the arms. He was originally charged with and violation of the Arms Act on

secution decided to argue its case on one count only. The judge will transfer the court into the condemned cell at Insfin guol when the trial is resumed on March 13, to take a statement from U Saw.-Reuter.

London, Mar. 10.

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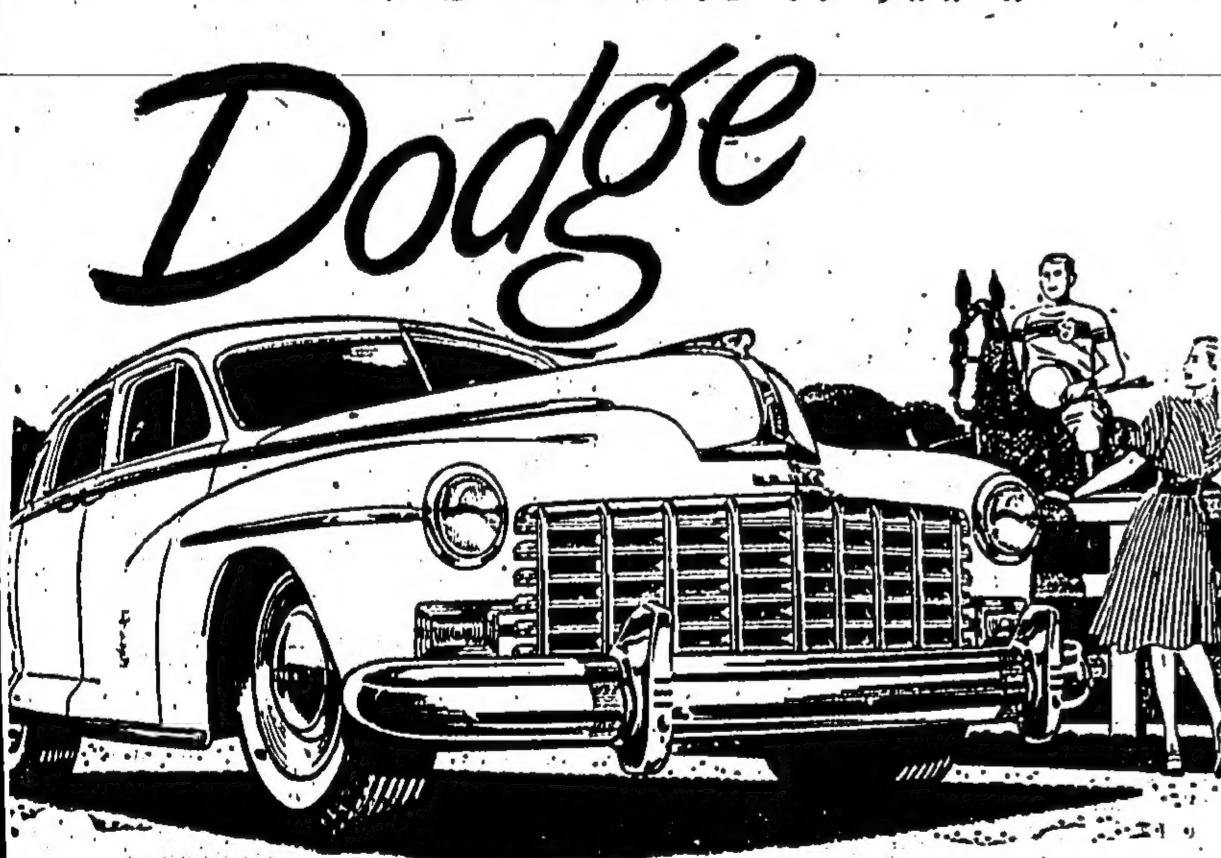
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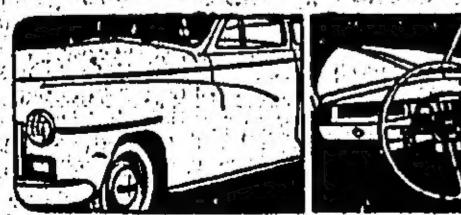


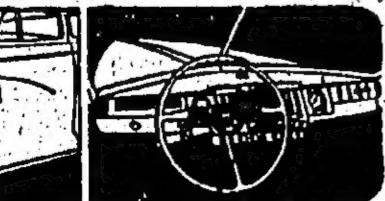
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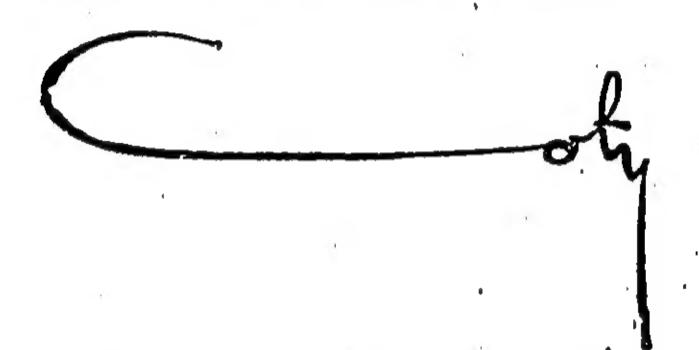
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selection by Motion Picture studios has been dramatically Magazine as America's Cham- realized. pion Movie Fanl

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York 33, has begun a I haven't a thing to wear!" round of Manhattan's smart shops and beauty salons in preparation for her departure, on the Santa Fe "Chief" for Holly- have assured her she needn't

contest to find the country's the studios, watch pictures in ton, editor, was quick to point the famous stars she has but out that the competition was dreamed about up until now. not based merely on the num- At the same time, Atwater her of pictures seen, or in fact Kent, famous party giver of

foremost a person who is able great and near great of her to judge films critically," Mr. favourite type of entertainment. Hamilton said. "For that reu- Also, while she is in Hollya feature film by the same programmes, will be interviewed standards by which profes by the press and will be accord. sional critics do it. Miss Ro- ed the same treatment customwas so close to the arily shown a visiting celebrity. critics in her ratings, she al- Throughout her stay, she will most could be one of them." A movie fan all her life, Miss cinema city's most eligible Rogers at one time even enter- young male stars.

York bookkeeper, whose know- demy of Dramatic Arts, how- out for Bette Davis, Rosalind east coast, to which she also ledge of Hollywood and the ever, she concluded that her Russell, Ingrid Bergman, Greer attributed her uncanny ability movies amounted to what she ability lay in some other field, Garson and Deborah Kerr, to judge the merit of any saw twice a week on her neigh- and she turned toward a busibourhood screens, on Wednes- ness career. Now her dream day found herself suddenly of one day going to Hollywood catapulted into fame with her for a whirl around the film

"The only trouble now is," As a result. Miss Arlyne remarked when informed of Rogers, of 360 Cabrini Blvd., her victory in the contest, "that

No Worries

The staff of Motion Picture wood, the romantic trip which worry about that, however. In her grand prize for topping She will be completely outfitted more than ten thousand of before her departure for the the nation's film fans who sub- west coast, and, once in Holly. mitted entries in the contest. | wood, she will be taken on a In announcing Miss Rogers' tour of the film capitals beauty name in the April issue of Mo- and fashion centres, and will be tion Picture, as winner of the given an opportunity to inspect foremost fan, Maxwell Hamil- the making and meet many of

on any of the typical standards the screen colony, has indicated by which film fans are known. , a desire to have Miss Roberts as his guest at one of Hollywood's typical parties, and "We felt America's champion again she will have the oppormovie fan should be first and tunity to rub' shoulders with the son, the winner was selected on wood. Misu Rogers will appear the basis of her ability to judge on many coast-to-coast radio

tained the idea of becoming an Asked her favourites among actress herself. After a year the film stars she has seen, Miss

be escorted by one of the



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hambra.-Michael Redgrave, Barbara Mullen, James Mason and Lilli Palmer-enough to guarantee a worthwhile picture. It is, in fact, superply

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to make a thorough _study of might not be allowed to return their technique.

of the stage and has appeared a moment before subsiding into in many amateur theatricals their normally serious keenness. herself. For the past several "I think I'm a better critic," years, she has taught dramatics she laughed, .

pretty, 19-year-old New at Manhattan's American Aca- Rogers unhesitatingly spoke in summer camps along the

particularly have impressed .When it was suggested that, her, she has gone to see them with her looks and dramatic in that picture again, in order training and background, she from Hollywood to her job in She was quick to point out, New York, her eyes lit up for



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Ayres, Zachary Scott. Eve Arden puts on a neat side credit.

piece as a gay divorcee who re-Stars: Marshall Thompson, gards marriage as a crime against society. THE BODY DISAPPEARS

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Funeral For Foreign

Shanghal, Mar. 11. Daylight saving will come into effect in Shanghai from April 1, according to Electricity cision of the Supply Commission yesterday, which, however han yet to be ratified by the Shanghai Municipal Gov-

ernment. The Commission's desire to begin daylight saving carller than in former years is prompted by the necessity for economising on power consumption.-Reuter.

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Surrender

Athens, Mar. 11. Van Fleet, the head the military section of mission to Greece, today predicted that the Greek servers. guerillas would be "completely defeated summer."

General Van Fleet, who gave a Greek Army was conducting a civilised war but the guerillas were "conducting an inhumanised may recken on me. I am one of type of terror which cannot be you. classified as war."

stay out forever or be killed." A Reuter despatch from An- the official announcement. kara today stated that Turkey is

A Turkish motor boat was atincked yesterday by guerillas in an armed boat and fire was ex-

today.

Citizens Prague, Mar. 10. Jan Masaryk, the 61-year-old Foreign Minister

and son of M. Thomas Masaryk, founder of the Czech Republic, who jumped to his death from a window early today, is to be given a State funeral on Saturday with full military honours.

The funeral procession will move through the city to Lany, the burial place of M. Thomas Masaryk: Lany is to be renamed Masarykovy Lany.

a Communist-dominated Masaryk's body was found half an Government into power, a huge pile hour after he threw himself from of red and white flowers covered his window this morning. the seat Dr. Masaryk should have oc-

All flags on public buildings were flown at half must and people gatherthere were no demonstrations.

minutes as a mark of mourning. been reading telegrams from his found in his room, friends in America and Britain, expressing disappointment at what M the United States aid Nonek called "his brave behavlour" in joining the new Government—an action which surprised Western ob-

> Opposition supporters here were saying today that the suicide was an this expression of despair at the situation in which the country finds itself.

press conference after visiting ment had been formed, Dr. Masaryk, said. five Greek divisions in Northern a life-long friend of Britain and Amand Eastern Greece, said the erica, declared: "My place is to- M. Nosek added,

He declared: "My advice to great disturbance among members with black flags flapping in the ed. good bandits of Greek stock is of the Government, and the first breeze, Citizens stunned by the news to surrender at once-and for the reaction of the authorities was to gathered round, black-edged posters others to get out of Greece and cut off all communications from jannouncing it. abroad. These were restored after the was not known tonight whether

It is thought here that the Foreign farewell. Prague Radio spoke considering taking "drastic steps" Minister's death will have few "depression," while Opposition supagainst alleged Greck guerilla at- political repercussions, but he was porters used the word "desp tir." tacks on Turkish ships in the one of the most popular figures in One of those likely to be most af-Aegean Sea and Turkish railways Czechoslovak public life, both for his fected by Dr. Masaryk's death political views-he was non-party- President Benes, who loves not only and for his downright way of ex- a personal friend but the only repressing himself.

Guerillas were also said to have Some travellers have been mak- a brake to the policy of the new trains crossing the ing the journey by car as they National Front. Turco-Greek frontier in Thrace, consider the road safer,-Reuter

London, Mar. 10.

Dr. Jan Masaryk's suicide in Prague has stripped

the camouflage from the new Communist-

dominated Government of Czechoslovakia, it

was considered in diplomatic quarters here

His continued presence at It promptly became clear

the hend of the Czech Foreign that the reconstruction of the

Office in the reskuffled Cabinet | Czechoslovak Government un-

was the main evidence pleaded nessed in Prague.

constitutionality

public opinion abroad, the as-

sociation of Dr. Jan Masaryk's

name with the new regime was

perhaps more important ever

than that of President Eduard

Benes, since he represented the

embodiment of continuity with

the tradition built by the

founder of the Czechoslovak

Republic, President Thomas Garrigue Masaryk, his father.

Those critics of the recent

events in Prague who conclud-

ed that the Czechoslovakia of

M. Masaryk was dead will not

be surprised that his son did

not outlive it for long.

governed the recent changes.

headed by the Communist Pre- der obvious pressure was the

When the Czech Parliament held [M. Nosek in his statement to its first session since the crisis Parliament, disclosed that Dr.

The Climax

at night, after President Benes ed in groups in the streets, but received the new Polish Ambassador, Dr. Masaryk stayed behind after the M. Vaclac Nosek, Minister of the others in the party had left and talk-Interior, made a short statement in ed with Dr. Benes, M. Nosek snid. Parliament after which the Speaker During the evening, Dr. Masaryk Commons today, Mr. adjourned the Assembly for five had been in his usual good spirit, Ernest Bevin, the Forbut in the night a nervous crisis M. Nosek said that during the had developed. He was unable to eign Secretary, paid a Major General James previous evening, Dr. Masaryk had sleep. Many eigerette ends were tribute to the late Dr.

six o'clock this morning (local Masaryk went into a bathroom adself from the window.

In the recent crisis, Dr. Masaryk had gone without hesitation on the side of the people's cause, and Repercussions Unlikely for that reason had become the ob-Last week, after the new Govern- ject of invective attacks, M. Nosek

Prague Mourns

Dr. Masaryk had left any letter of presentative of Western thought left to support him in any attempt to put

> heartbroken at the tragic end to the flinching soul. son of his greatest friend and leader. Dr. Benes, had defined their policy as "East and West."

World Affected

Many shops in Prague carried New P.I. black draped photographs of Dr. Masaryk in their windows with accounts of his life. Newspapers brought out special editions. Communist organ, Rude Prayo, gave nly a passing mention of his death. Racket only a passing mention of his deathof the world described today the profound impression caused by the

news of the sulcide in Prague, In London, a Foreign Office spokesman declared: "Nothing could more clearly demonstrate the character of and her betrayal by a minority takby liberal-minded supporters. More than the change of ing its orders from abroad." Asked if Dr. Masaryk's suicide

the new Czechoslovak re- Government, the purge and the might have been influenced by cri gimd to suggest that legality drartic curtailment of Parliaticism abroad; the spokesman anid had mentary and press liberty that criticisms were directed, not against had followed it have shown the Dr. Masaryk personally, but against From the point of view of true scope of the People's Re- the recent events in Czechoslovakia. volution in Prague-Reuter. -Reuter.

Czech Denounces Government

Lake Success, Mar. 10. Jan Papanek, permanent Czechoslovak representative to the United Nations, told the press today that he could not believe Dr. Jan Masaryk, the Czech Foreign Minister, had committed suicide.

M. Papanek denounced the treaty of friendship between Dr. Masnryk's decision to new Czechoslovak Government Czechoslovakia and Russia.

the presumption already strong the Security Council investigate as long as I am able to protect here that he retained the port- the situation in Czechoslovakia the interests of our people". Tolio of Foreigo Affairs: and was made in a letter to Dr. M. Papanek added: "Since "RESIGNS" made his various public pro- Trygve Lie, Secretary General the coup, the President of the ... Oslo, Mar. 10. nouncements in the last fort of the United Nations. Republic is not allowed to make Dr. Emil Walter, the Czecho-

nouncements in the last fort of the United Nations.

Some observery maintained the United Nations to decide that Dr. Massryk's decision whether they would recognise free agent was not due to force but that he regime. M. Papanek he hoped by remaining in the new Government to exercise a sociated of direct par moderating influence, and assistingly to preserve some massistic partially to preserve some massistic partial partiality partial partial partial partial partial partial partial parti

countenance the change of re- and asked the Security Council As M. Papanek told jourgime, : clonked in its initial to investigate the Communist nalists of his decision to appeal stages by a semblance of an action in his country, to the Security Council, the

all-party Government, occasion. He said he refused to recog- Czechoslovak members of the d considerable surprise in nise the legality of the present Secretariat stood at the back of London, where he was well- Czechoslovak- Government, but the room, several of them weep- Birmingham, Mar. 11.

Baghdad, Mar. 10. their troops from Palestine. "the Arabs will immediately take action to prevent continued bloodshed," Hamdi Pachachi, the Iraqi Foreign Minister, declared here today.

The Arab and Moslem worlds could not accept the partition "at any price." he sald.—Reuter.

London, Mar. 10. In a hushed House of Jan Masaryk, the For-The crisis reached its climax at leign Minister of Czechotime), M, Nosek continued. Unable slovakia-"our good colto control himself any longer, Dr. league during the war."

Dr. Jan Masaryk's father, joining his bedroom and throw him- Mr. Bevin said, was the bullder of "that famous democracy Czechoslovakia" "The son came and lived

lamong us during the dark days of the war when freedom was taken away by Hitler

"It was a proud moment to Dr. Jan Masaryk and his colleagues to return, to Czechoslovakia. Recent events have The news of the suicide caused Prague was a city of mourning clouded much that has happen-

> "We do not know what really has occurred except that he has passed. But Dr Jan Masaryk's name and that of his father will always live in the affectionate memory of the British

Mr. Winston Churchill, leader of the Conservative Opposition and war-time : Prime Minister. speaking of Dr. Masaryk's stay in Britain -during the war, said: "We were able to approciate the working of that com-The President is believed to be petent mind and resolute, un-

"It is a heavy loss, but one Dr. Mataryk's death has spread cannot help rejoicing that the depression among those who, like famous name he bears will continue to be an inspiration to the peoples of Czechoslovakia" --Reuter.

Immigration

Manila Mar, 11. A new immigration racket, whereby Chinese nationals authorised to enter the Philippines under the existing immier, M. Klement Gottwald, least of the changes to be wit- the recent events in Czechoslovakia migration laws are being substituted for those legally entitled to come to this country, was reported by the Manila

> Times today, According to the Bureau of immigration, - the report says an application by one Serafin Chua Ho to bring his brother Chua Lai-ho to Manila for a

temporary stay was approved. However, when Serafin Chua Ho went to meet his brother at the pier, he was surprised to see that another, man had arrived posing as, his brother. The impostor carried all the papers issued to the real Chun

Following an investigation of the new racket, the immigration authorities are now detaining Alejo Uy, alias Uy King chua, an immigration agent, and Tan Llang-guan, an immigrant, pending their d portation to China. Reuter.

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New York, Mar. 10,

ery in the area. "It is not easy to assess the ism and antagonism to the West, achievements of the Special Com. but rather an association of free missioner's Office under Lord Kil- democratic countries which will

"The suspicion in many quar- developing between Russia and ters that this was a cloverly America, and will act as a councamoudlaged form of British im terweight between them."-Reuter. perialism had to be overcome. In Malaya, an unscrupulous newspaper campaign made it for several months the scapegoat for an unavoidable shortage of rice. "Recently it came under a good Market mic Commission for Asia and the

Far East. "As the functions of the office | vanco of the week. Aircrafts, rails and became more widely known, much | selected oils, utilities and chemicals were of this criticism was withdrawn. It was significant that at the recent Bagulo Conference, when the future of the Special Commission. er's Office was discussed, only two delegates out of 10 voted against cooperation with it, one delegate

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"The fact remains that, it is the only regional machinery which 20 Industrials 167.48, 15 Rails 49.54, 10 exists in this part of the world. Utilities \$2.00. The way in which it has grown shows it has met a real need in South-East Asia.

"The future of this regional machinery is uncertain. The na- Anaconda Copper 31 %, Aviation Corp. tural tendency as time goes on 5. Baldwin Locomotive 13%, Barnsdell will be towards closer intogration | 2415. Bendix Aviation. 2814. Bethichem with the various international organs of the United Nations. "If this happens, it is to be hoped that political issues will not interfere with the very useful economic functions which it fulfils 'at present".

Earlier in his article, the Times special correspondent wrote: "The whole of the Far East is in the process of a violent and turbulent -Reuter.

Bitter Struggle

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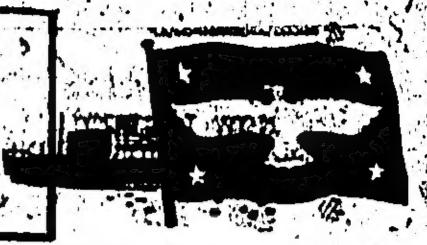
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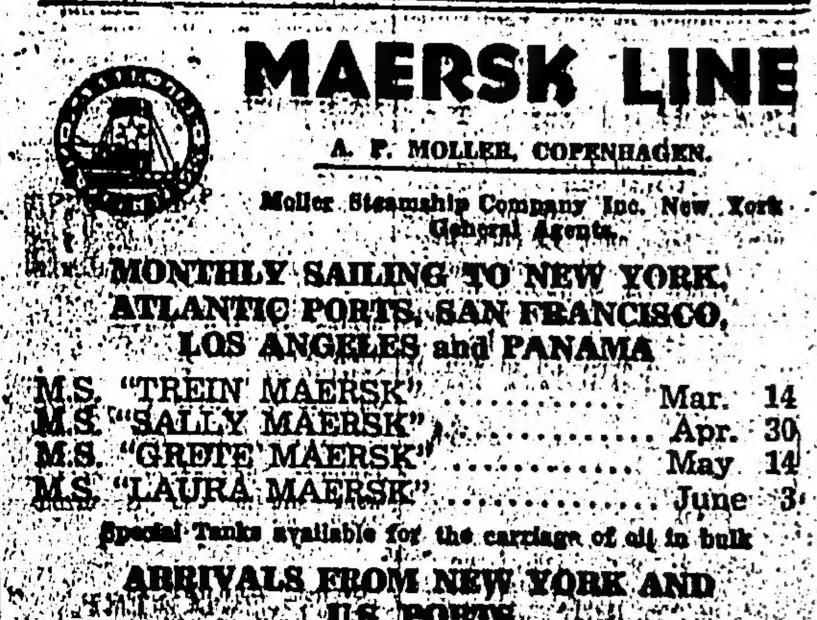
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Mar. 13. Pan-American, 12.49 Via Honolulu, Wake Guam, Okinawa, Shanghal) Mar. 18, Pan-American, 4.45 Salgon Mar. 12, Air France, 2 p.m. Singapore via Bangkok Mar. 14, Cathay Pacific, Mar, 17, Cathay Pacific. Departures To:

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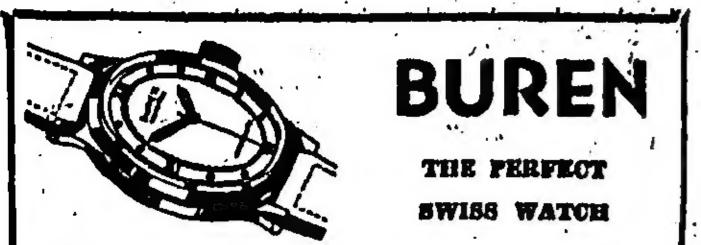
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A submission that the Court of Appeal had no right to obstruct the development of the Colony was put forward yesterday by Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., when opposing an application to the Full Court of Appeal for a further stay of execution relative to an eviction order made in respect of 661 Nathan Road, Kowloon.

Mr. Justice E. H. Williams on Jan. 31, 1947. (Chief Justice) and Mr. Justice | Application was made to the J. Reynolds (Acting Additional Tenancy Committee on Dec.

come of an eviction order made Apr. 30, 1947 and the Governor-(Pulsne Judge), on Mar. 1, on exempting the premises on Sept conclusion of the hearing of an | 2. 1947. Without possession of action for possension of 657, the temporary 'structures, de 659 and 661 Nathan Road, velopment must stop and has occupied by the Po Fong been stopped effectively by the Studio, Luk Shun-wo and Kam various proceedings taken, for Yan-mee. At the time of his a period of one year and a half. making the order, Mr. Justice Appeal.

was represented by Mr. Charles | the fullest compensation out of Loseby, instructed by Mr. M.A. respondents. da Silvá.

Mr. Potter, instructed by Mr. 1 Estates Limited.

before Mr. Juntice Gould, it said that the three tenants was held at the Yan Yan Restaurant was disclosed that the building vire prepared to swear any- last night in honour of the leaders of to be erected on the site now thing put before them in order occupied by appellant and others to prevent respondents gaining tion of the Chinese Y.M.C.A., Waterat 657, 659 and 661 Nathan possession. Road, would be used as the \$180,000.

In the course of his submissions. Mr. Loseby said that an Assuming that leave was re- . The groups will continue to canorder for possession of 661 fused and the temporary struct vass for another five days when it is Nathan Road, Kowloon, was | made by Mr. Justice Gould on lant would, in the event of the be collected. Mar. I, in an action brought by Court of Appeal holding that ... lant. A stay of execution was entitled on his counter-claim, to that he would dispute, in toto, appellant to give notice of ap- nient and for loss of business would be caused to appellant it

Court. in 99 per cent of the cases, it with his counter-claim after After stating that no affidavit Revelry ... (11.6); because if the appellant lost ages? possession of the premises, the

No Hardship

appellant had lost possession. execution. The respondents were owners of certain undeveloped property in the Colony which they desired to develop. The proposed development consisted of building a substantial structure for a bank and business premises. The plans for the building had been prepared and passed by the Building Authority as far back as Dec. 1946. It 1 when the holding is completed, one of the leading, for the sound is a summary of the sound is a had already been arranged that

The Full Court comprised quit was duly given and expired

1946. The recommendation of The application was the out- this Committee was made on Mr. Justice T.J. Gould in-Council made the order

Mr. Potter referred to the Gould also made an order for benefits which would accrue to a stay of execution for 14 days | the Colony by the development to enable notice of appeal to be of the site. In the event of the given. Any further stay was to Court of Appeal finding against he sought from the Court of respondents on hearing of the appeal itself, the three persons The appellant, Luk Shun-wo, concerned would be able to get

"Erudite Tailor"

Reference was then made to the defence which had been Dinner F. Zimmern, appeared for the the defence which had been respondents, Henry G. Leong raised by the appellant, who l was described by Mr. Potter as

execution would be granted ponded with a cheque of \$200. tures were pulled down, appel- hoped that the remaining \$20,000 will the respondents against appel- the ejectment was wrong, be granted for 14 days to enable damages for wrongful eject. the facts. Irreparable damage ACCADTOTS peal. Mr. Justice Gould was of and could be compensated to the he were to lose possession and

and the Court had no right to Interposing Mr. Justice Wil- 20, together with the weights. was usually granted by consent of money should be proceed would be caused.

ceptional, in that the fact of ac- evon or lost his appeal. (b) All the appeal. posed, most strongly, the ap- tion, the Court should take into stances why a further stay of Router..... plication for a further stay of consideration the condition to be execution should be granted. paid by appellant.

BRITAIN AND RED CHINA

London, Mar. 10. The Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin, told a House of Commons questioner today that the Government was without contact with the authorities controlling the Communist-

held areas of China. Asked, in view of the recent increases in Communist-held area, what steps could be taken to safeguard British interests and watch political developments there, Mr. Bevin replied: I have it constantly

under review." He added that all the allies had agreed to recognise the Nationalist Government of China. must adhere to that, but I am looking at the whole consulate and other positions in the light of new developments."—Reuter.

Chinese

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A dinner sponsored by the Board' some 70 groups of voluntary workers Tests. canvassing funds for the reconstruc-

loo Road, at Kowloon. Dealing with the law, Mr. The Chairman, Mr. Lam Chi-fung, is to rest with the umpires without Kam-hung; Height: 3 ft. 11 ins. Kowloon Branch, of the Hong Potter said that there must be said that canyassing had been in pro-Kong and Shanghai Banking very special circumstances to gress for about two weeks and about Corporation. The estimated cost deprive a person of the fruits \$80,000 had been generously donated day will be able to appeal against sees. of the building was given as of his successful litigation be- by the public. One of the first donors the light in each, if it so desires. fore an application for stay of Sir Alexander Grantham, who res-

Replying, Mr. Loseby said dismissed.

In Hong Kong

There is at the moment in Hong Kong a keen re-

Test Team Selection

London, Mar. 9. England's Test cricket

selection against Australia for the 2. Yellew; 3. Green; Time: 2. coming summer will be the same as for last year: A. J. Holmes (Chair-metres: 1. Au Kin-hung: 2. L. man), J. C. Clay, R. W. V. Robins, with the team Irving Wong; 2, Lee Hon-yan; 3. captain co-opted.

be Norman Yardley, of Yorkshire, A Test trial will be played Birmingham on June 2, 3 and 4. At the meeting today, which appointed the selectors, it was agreed that, as a general rule for the future, the committee have been empowered to call into consultation the captain of the MCC side touring oversent during a previous season, thus they will this year have, the benefit of the advice of G. O. Allen,

mittee adopted a special instruction Brown: 2. Red; 2. Green; Time: In the course of the hearing "our crudite tailor." Mr. Potter of Directors of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. Ito umpires regarding appeals against 1 min. 4.3/5 accs. Long jump: 1 the light, which will apply in Aus- Paib:on Bencharit; 2, J. Naughtralian matches only, including the ton; 3, P. Guest; Distance: 13 ft,

> This provides for one appeal by 2. P. Guest: 3. H. Schmidtke; either side on any one day during Time: 32,4/5 secs, 'High jump: an innings. After that, the question 1, P. Guest: 2, S. Bishop; 3, Chen further appeal. A side batting in 400 metres: 1. J. Naughton; 2. P.

application in the matter should he brought before the Full cumstances in the present case appeal.

that irreparable damage could amage could be for the brought before the Full cumstances in the present case appeal.

The final acceptors for the Board. Referee (All events): Mr. Lowrie, the inside left, to appeal and the finishing touch.

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Fig. 1. The final acceptors for the M.C. Kwok. Judges: Mr. P. S. Lam. Mr. G.A. Goodban, Mr. M. ply the finishing touch.

Fig. 2. The final acceptors for the M.C. Kwok. Judges: Mr. P. S. Lam. Mr. G.A. Goodban, Mr. M. D. Lam. Mr. M. D. Lam London, Mar. 10. Mr. Loseby said that in all obstruct development of the liams said that he had expected Prince Regent (12.2 stone); L.K. Luk. Relay Hand-over- shot from a difficult angle.cases under the Landlord and Colony in this way where a that an amdavit would have Happy Home (11.10); Rowland Judge: Mr. L.K. Luk, Finishing Reuter. Tenant Ordinance and the Pro person would be able to obtain been filed by appellant showing Roy (11.8); Klaxton (11:8); Post Tape: Mr. E.R. Cheung and clamation, a stay of execution full compensation in the shape the irreparable damage which Caddic II (11.7); Rolmond Mr. S.S. Yu. (11.7); Silver Flame (11.6); Seniors: Mr. G. A. Goodban and being realised by the parties having won his appeal. Far had been filed because the mat- (11.5); Lovely Cottage (11.4); Whitfield and Mr. M. W. Wong. that the right of appeal was a from the appellant suffering ter was one of emergency, Mr. Briccett (11.3); Rearmament Juniors: Mr. D.B.M. Board and vital matter and useless unless it irreparable damage, it would Loseby said that an order for (11.2); War Risk (11.1); Keep Jump: Mr. L.K. Luk. Measurers—High carried with it a stay of execu- be the respondents who would possession would mean ruin Faith (11.1); Caughoo (11.1); Jump: Mr. C.M. McEwan. Long tion until after the hearing of suffer an the heart might carried with it a stay of execu- be the respondents who would possession would mean ruin Faith (11.1); Caughoo (11.1); Jump: Mr. M.C. Kwok. Weight: tion until after the hearing of suffer, as the bank might refuse for the appellant. To win an Brighter Sandy (11.0); Glen Mr. C.M. McEwan. Referce-All the appeal. He therefore asked to take the premises, not being appeal on a purely academic Carrig (10.13); Cromwell events: Mr. M.C. Kwok. that a further stay of execution prepared to put up with the point was but little consolation (10.11). Weevil (10.11); Clona until after the hearing of the delay. Could the three humble when put out of possession. Boy (10.10); Gormans Town appeal be granted in this case, tenants meet a claim for dam- The respondents wanted to pre- (10.9); Sacilas Cottage (10.7); vent an appeal and had asked Platybus (10.6); Lough Conn In conclusion, Mr. Potter for the most crushing terms. (10.5); House Warmer (10.4); to represent the Club 2nd XI in a submitted that the application Mr. Loseby said that he had no First of the Dandles (10-4); match against Chinese Athletic at should not be granted, but if so objection to hearing of the ap- Loyal Antrim (10.3); Sir John Happy Valley on Sunday. Kick of There was no question of any granted, should be on the fol- peal being expedited, to which (10.3); Tudor Close (10.8); at 4.30 p.m.; possible hardship on the res. lowing terms: (a) All mesne Mr. Justice Williams replied Schubert (10.2); Sahia (10.2); Mackenzie, McCaig. Taylor, Urqupondents. The position of every profits should be paid forth- that the calendar was full and Musical Lad (10.1); Sultry hart, Ritchie, Kennard, Gardner, tenant in Hong Kong under with. Such profits would have it would be unfair to put off Bone (10.1); Ulster Monarch Barker, it be paid whether appellant some other case simply to bear (10.1) together with the fair to be paid whether appellant some other case simply to bear (10.1) together with the fair to be paid whether appellant some other case simply to bear (10.1) together with the fair to be paid whether appellant some other case simply to bear (10.1) together with the fair to be paid whether appellant some other case simply to bear (10.1). present circumstances was ex- to be paid whether appellant some other case simply to hear (10.1), together with the following who all carry ten stone: tunl possession was a matter of taxed costs to be paid on the After a short deliberation, Maltese, Some Chicken, Soda quite obvious importance. An usual understanding that they Mr. Justice Williams announced II. Tommy Traddles, Dusky appent would be of no use if will be refunded if appellant is that it was his opinion and that Chimes, . Parthenon, Offaly, H.K.C.C; on Saturday on the Chates successful. (c) Security for of Mr. Jusice Reynolds that Bora's Cottage; Serpentine, Road ground, Indian R.C. will Mr. Potter said that he op- costs of appeal. In this connect there were no special circum- Highland Lad and Skouras.-

The application was therefore British Keen Revival Of Squash Speed Record

The Royal Acro Club has received A.N. Other. vival of squash which coincides with the re- a notification, from the Federation Cambridges J. Barrow, J.P. Bur-Aeronautique Internationale that the ford, E.J.M. Churn, J.J. Cowper-

Following are the detailed re-School Sports held on Wednes-

Senicr.-100 metres: 1, David Lee; 2. Tsang Koon-shun; 3. Chan Chung-mo: Time: 12.6 secs. 200 metres: 1. G. Wagner; 2. D. Lee; 3. Kan Yuen-cheong; Time: 20.1 secs. High jump: 1. G. Wong; 2. F. Melbye; 3. G. Wagner; Height; Pisarev: 2. Kan Yuen-cheong: 3. there was any family prayer in yu Ho-ming; Time: 57 sec. 800 most homes. She asked for the practices: 1. N. Pisarev: 2. G. Wagner: 3. Lee Tak-tung; Time: 5 gunday School service a success off from the \$400,000 target set off from the \$400,000 target set off for the building fund. So far and not to look upon it as just only \$100,000 ked head here. 4 ft, 10 ins. 400 metres: 1, N Pairat Bencharit; Time: 5 mins, and not to look up:n it as just only \$130,000 had been raised 35 sccs. Weight-put (12lbs.): 1. a place to go to in the absence Nevertheless they intended to gi Da Costa; 2. Ho Yau-gay; 3. Pisnrey: Distance: 32 ft. 31/4 ins. committee 18 ft. 61/2 ins. Relay: 1, Brown:

Middle.-100 metres: 1. Hul Kal-sang; 2, Au Kin-hung; 3, Les Hung-kan: Time: 13 secs. 200 Marley; 3, Chan Chun-chow; Time: 28 secs. High jump: C. Ramsay; Height: 4 ft, 314 ins. The captain will most probably Relay: 1. Yellow; 2. Brown; 3. Blue: Time: 1, min, 43 1/2 secs. Long jump: 1, Irving Wong; 2. Au Kin-hung; 3. Terry Chin; Distance: 16 ft, 1/2 in. 400 metres: i. Plarat Bencharit: 2, Au Kinhung; 2. Au Kwok-wal; Time: 05.4/5 sees, Weight put (8 lbs.) 1. Hul Kal-sang: 2. Chul Shulfun: 3. Irving Wong: Distance: ft. 21/2 lns. 800 metres: 1. Pairm Bencharit; 2. D. Izatt; 3. Chiu Shiu-fan; Time: 2 mins. 40 secs. Junior.—100 metres: 1. Paisan who is at present in the West Indies. Bencharit; 2. S. Bishop; 3. G. The Advisory County Cricket Com- Kent: Time: 15,8 secs. Relay: 1

11 ins. 200 metres: 1. S. Bishop: honours.

Championships. — Senior: Wagner, N. Pisarev, Middle: Au Kin-hung, Junior: S. Bishop, A. Club Championships,-1, Brown tors. 90 pts: 2. Yellow 79 pts: 3. Red

Smith, Starter: Mr. C. M. Mc-Ewan (Ed. Dept.). Recorder: Mr. held the upper hand. B.J. Monks, Recorder's Assistant: Ford provided the opening Tong 0-9. Arthur Low. Tanekeeper (Win- for the first Welsh goal four ners): Mr. F.C. Whitfield, Time- minutes before the interval. keeper (Standards): Mr. D.B.M. when he centred squarely Mr. S.K. Fung. Club Colours: Mr. the second half with a fine

Haleyon Mr. P.S. Lam. Middle: Mr. F. C.

The following have been selected

In their cricket match against represented by :- A.R. Abbas, .. A.l Kitchell, A.H. Madar, A.K. Ismail. M.I. Razack, A.R. Suffied, K. Nazarin, S.A. Ismail, Abid Ebraham. Arel Arculli, Jr. and Tahir Ebrahim,

Ride, B. Himsworth, C.I. Stapleton, since the war. Ride, B. Himsworth, C.I. Stapteron, since the war.

G. Rows; A.K. Skinner. H.W. Lee.

G.A. Goodban, I.P. Tamworth and In the other lie it will be a should not change because Flag Party an illegal Com-

Union Church Annual NEWS FROM General Meeting

The importance of religious education for children was stressed by Miss Shilston, who spoke about the work of the Sunday School service of Union Church, Hong Kong, at the annual general meeting of the Church at Helena May Institute, yesterday.

She said Christian children Garrison School in which to hold were getting very little religious their Sunday services, thanks to education. Apart from the 40 the generosity of the Military minute Scripture lesson at school Authorities. They had been in a week she doubted whether formed that they could continue

of something better to do. The meeting was presided over Church Hall and the Minister's shirt with built-in suspenders, Long jump: 1. Da Costa; 2 by Mr. J. Finnie, supported by flat which will be situated over it was learned today. United Pisarev; 3, Ian Wong; Distance: the Hen, Secretary, Mr. E. Hims- the Hall,

worth. Mr. Finnie reviewed the activities of the past year and said they were fortunate to have the

Wrexham, Mar. 10. Wales beat Ireland by two goals to nil before a capacity crowd of 30,000 here today, and now stand a chance of winning the international soccer championship. If England lose to Scotland at Hampden Park. Glasgow, on April 10, Wales will carry off the international

Today's game did not rise to great heights. The standard "B" 9-0. of play fell below the average of this season's international two separate, innings on the same Guest; 3. I. George; Time: 79.4/5 contests, although the brilliance of the Welsh left halfback, Edwards, and the dash of the winning centreforward; Ford, occasionally roused the specta-

seased dangerous attackers, but league matches played on Wednes- that the entire crew was killed. 47 pts; 4. Blue 40 pts; 5. Green their right wing, Ireland posgenerally the Welsh defenders day, March 10:-

RUGBY

London, Mar. 10. Rugby football games .-County match:-Berkshire 16 Doraet and Wiltshire 20. Other matches:-Abertillery 0 Newport 3; Glasgow University 16 Durham University 6:

shead with the building of the

New Minister The Church was very fortunate to have secured a new Minigter in the Rev. G. M. Stevenson M.A., who would be here August or September.

The report and accounts were

then adopted. Mr. E. Himsworth was re-elected Hon, Secretary and Mr. J.S. Dunnett re-elected Hon, Treasur or for the ensuing year. Montgomery, the following were elected to the Committee of Man-

Measrs, J. Finnie, W. Melrise, J. Scott, J.N. Sweeney, J.C. Swan, T. Addis Martin, R.M. Kcown, A. McKellar and Mr. Ashton.

Dagminton

Results of the Men's Badminton Doubles league matches played Monday, March 8:-Chinese Sanitary Inspectors lost · Chinese Y.M.C.A. beat St. Teresa' Kowloon Tong lost to Chung Wal-

St. Mary's lost to St. Teresa's "A'

V.R.C. conceded a walkover Police conceded a walkover The match between Recreio In Cochrane and Smyth, and University "A" was postponed.

> Recreio "A" lost to Sing Tao 1-8. St. Teresa's "B" lost to Kowloon K.C.C. "B" gave a walkover to] Chinese Sanitary Inspectors.

V.R.C. gave a walkover to Univer-Y.M.C.A. and K.C.G. "A". University "B" and Police were postponed.

DOCKYARD MAN STABBED

Lee Yeung Hol, a Royal Naval Dockyard worker, was on his way home shortly after 5 p.m. yesterday when near Johnston Road someone stabbed him from behind with sharp Instrument,

Lee was rushed to hospital where his condition was reported as serious. The police are investigating. Up Caumlin o Cross Keys 0 .- Reu- to a late hour last night no arrests

Soccer Notes (By 'Alcydes')

had been made.

While only four teams struggle for the right appear at Wembley most of the remainder have league engagements.

Shoffield is the venue of behind Newcastle with one the Manchester-Derby affair game in hand. while Blackpool and Tottenham Bournemouth have a tough decide theirs at Villa Park, assignment at Port Vale whilst Birmingham. As far as is at Rangers are at home to present known both teams will Ipswich. It is quite likely that be at full strength. Man- the Londoners will take the chester United, much improved leadership of League Three of late, are favourites but I (South) at the week end. Last military to take over the supply do think Harrison, Stamps and | week I stated that Rotherham | The following will represent Steele will take a lot of stop were at the top of League Varsity Match at the Hong Kong ping and they may be respons. Three (North) but latestore Cricket Club on Sunday at 11 a.m.; ible for Derby's appearance in cords show that Lincoln have Oxford: B.C.K. . Hawkids, .L.T. the Final for the second time a clear lead of three points

> test of two famous forward Lincoln are expected to Will at fences, when such names as send Barrow back pointless. on the outskirts of Rangood lines to penetrate opposing de Oldham but Rotherham should

with both teams having played

London, Mar. 11. The Food Minister, Mr. Strachey, has announced the withdrawal of the order, prohibiting public luncheons and dinners to more than one

John White, a local merchant tailor has invented a man's

Nuernberg, Mar. 11. Eight S.S. (Elite Guard) officers who carried out the Heinrich Himmler programme of exterminating racial elements undesirable to the Nasis were sentenced today to prison termin ranging from 10 years to life. General Ulrich Greifelt, termed On the proposal of Dr. J.H. | a main driving force in the Germanisation programme, received a life term. Associated

> Paris, Mar. 11. The Council of the Republic today approved by a vote of 149 to 98 the Government's revised. forced loan bill. The measure; which gives persons with high income the choice of paying heavy taxes or investing in the Government loan issue, was passed by the Upper S House after an all-night dession. A It had been approved by the National Assembly earlier this week.—United Press.

Nanking, Mar. 11. One Chinese Air Force transport crashed hear Hsinyang, southern Honan yesterday, according to the Central News Agency. Bad Weather was given as the cause of the accident. The casualties were Results of the Men's Doubles not revealed but it was feared

Nanking, Mar. 11. Lightning struck Nanking's St. Mary's lost to Chung Wah 1-1 power plant early this morning, "black-outing" the whole Chinese capital. The plant's main transmission switches were The matches between Chinese | burnt, The power failure caused a complete stoppage of the water supply. Many of the newspapers failed to appear today. Only a faw.

> Chicago, Mar. 11. A Miami-bound Delta Afr lines DC-4 crashed in a takeoff from the Chicago municipal airport, killing 12 or 18 persons aboard. The lone aurvivor. Mrs. Tripolina Meo, of Chicago. was taken to hospital where the

papers managed to go through

to press late in the day.—United

authorities said she was not expected_to_live. Witnesses said the big fourengine transport reached an altitude of approximately 50 feet above the runway after the takeoff when the engine of the transport appeared to fail. The plane plummeted to the ground and immediately was enveloped

in flames. United Press." Rangoon, Mar. 11 A strike of 1,700 supply workers of the Burms WOIL Company at Rangoon partly immobilised city traffic today. If the strike continues the Government may call in the out in protest at the suspension

of an Indian employee. - Reuter.

Rangoon Mar. 11. Burmese Wauthorities have arrested Thakin Sos